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CANADA

GEORGE THE SIXTH, by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas KING, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India;

To Our Beloved and Faithful the Senators of the Dominion of Canada, and the Members elected to serve in the House of Commons of Our said Dominion, and to each and every of you,—GREETING:

A PROCLAMATION

F. P. VARCOE,
Deputy Minister of Justice,
Canada.

WHEREAS the Meeting of Our Parliament of Canada stands prorogued to the twenty-seventh day of the month of January, 1944, these Presents are therefore to command and enjoin you and each of you and all others in this behalf interested that on the said Thursday, the twenty-seventh day of the month of January, 1944, at three o'clock P.M. at Our City of Ottawa, personally you be and appear for the DESPATCH OF BUSINESS, to treat, do, act and conclude upon those things which in Our said Parliament of Canada, by the Common Council of Our said Dominion, may, by the favour of God, be ordained.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed. WITNESS: Our Dear Uncle, Our Right Trusty and Right Well-beloved Cousin and Counsellor, Alexander Augustus Frederick George, Earl of Athlone, Knight of Our Most Noble Order of the Garter, a Member of Our Most Honourable Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Grand Master of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Grand Cross of Our Royal Victorian Order, Companion of Our Distinguished Service Order, Colonel in Our Army (retired), having the honorary rank of Major-General, one of Our Personal Aides-de-Camp, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of Our Dominion of Canada.

AT OUR GOVERNMENT HOUSE, in Our City of Ottawa, this twenty-sixth day of January, in the year of Our Lord One thousand nine hundred and forty-four and in the eighth year of Our Reign.

By Command,

E. H. COLEMAN,
Under Secretary of State.

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OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Thursday, 27th January, 1944

The Senate met this day at half-past two of the clock in the afternoon, being the Fifth Session of the Nineteenth Parliament of Canada, as summoned by Proclamation.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Ballantyne,	Duffus,	Johnston,	McIntyre,
Barnard,	DuTremblay,	Jones,	Molloy,
Beaubien (St. Jean Baptiste),	Euler,	King,	Moraud,
Beauregard,	Fafard,	Lambert,	Murdock,
Black,	Fallis,	Leger,	Paquet,
Blais,	Farris,	Macdonald	Paterson,
Buchanan,	Green,	(Richmond-West	Robertson,
Calder,	Griesbach,	Cape Breton),	Robinson,
Campbell,	Haig,	Macdonald	St. Père,
Cantley,	Hardy,	(Cardigan),	Sinclair,
Chapais	Harmer,	MacLennan,	Smith (Victoria-
(Sir Thomas),	Hayden,	Marcotte,	Carleton),
Copp,	Horner,	Marshall,	Stevenson,
Davies,	Howard,	McDonald	Sutherland,
Duff,	Hugessen,	(Shediac),	Tanner,
	Hushion,	McGuire,	Vien,
			White.

PRAYERS.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that he had received a communication from the Secretary to the Governor General, as follows:—

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL'S SECRETARY, CANADA

OTTAWA, 14th January, 1944.

SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that His Excellency the Governor General will arrive at the Main Entrance of the Houses of Parliament at 3 p.m. on Thursday the 27th January, 1944, and when it has been signified that all is in readiness, will proceed to the Senate Chamber to open the Fifth Session of the Nineteenth Parliament of Canada.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

A. S. REDFERN,

Secretary to the Governor General.

The Honourable
The Speaker of the Senate,
Ottawa.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Senate adjourned during pleasure.

After a while, His Excellency the Governor General having come, and being seated on the Throne,—

The Honourable the Speaker commanded the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod to proceed to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that,—

It is His Excellency the Governor General's pleasure that they attend him immediately in the Senate Chamber.

The House of Commons being come,

His Excellency the Governor General was pleased to open the Session by a Gracious Speech to both Houses, as follows:—

Honourable Members of the Senate:

Members of the House of Commons:

The war is now in its fifth year. The coming months will witness decisive battles. They will demand a supreme effort on the part of all nations united in the cause of freedom.

It is true that the military situation is better than it was a year ago, and that co-operation among the United Nations is closer than at any time in the past. At Washington, at Quebec, at Moscow, at Cairo and at Teheran, military plans for the coming campaigns were fully co-ordinated. Foundations were also laid for a united approach to the problems of transition from war to peace. The improved military situation does not, however, necessarily mean an early end of the war. Hostilities may continue for a long time in Europe, as well as in the Far East. The German army is still very strong. There are no indications of any general deterioration of German resistance. Germany herself is protected by a vast outwork of conquered territory. She has been fortifying herself against invasion since the beginning of the war. Until the German army has been defeated, the Allied nations cannot count upon an assured victory in Europe. Until the Allied naval forces have grappled successfully with the main Japanese fleet there can be no assurance of an end to the war against Japan. Future operations will involve bitter fighting and heavy losses.

The winning of the war clearly remains the first of all objectives. My ministers believe it is their duty to see that Canada's war effort is firmly maintained until the enemy is defeated in Europe and in Asia. They believe the government's primary task, and the primary duty of the Canadian people, is to concentrate on the prosecution of the war. Our fighting men must be assured that there will be no diversion from this vital task and no relaxation of Canada's war effort. Till the war is won, the policies of my government will continue to be shaped to that end.

Our armed forces at sea, on land and in the air have added lustre to the name of Canada. The armed might of the United Nations has been strengthened by Canadian mutual aid. In the combined Allied assault upon the Nazi fortress, all branches of the armed forces will have still heavier responsibilities.

While giving to the needs of the war precedence over all else, my Ministers are resolved that, so far as the future can be foreseen, Canada will be in a position to meet the difficult situations which will have to be faced when victory is won.

As occupied countries are liberated from the enemy, it will be necessary to provide for the relief of destitute populations, and for the rehabilitation of devastated areas in those countries which have borne the brunt of the terror and destruction of war. A measure to extend the principle of mutual aid so as to provide for relief, as well as for materials of war, will be submitted for your approval.

Canada's prosperity and the well-being of her people are bound up with the restoration and expansion of world trade. Export markets are essential to the efficient employment of vast numbers of Canadians. Larger imports are needed to raise the standard of living. In accordance with the principles of the Atlantic Charter, the arrangements required to clear the channels of trade and promote the flow of goods among all nations after the war are being explored with other countries. Discussions will be advanced as rapidly as the exigencies of war will permit.

The revival of world trade and prosperity after the war will depend upon the speedy recovery of the occupied countries. During the period of transition, the provision of international relief will help to maintain full employment of Canadian manpower and resources.

My Ministers believe that the time has come when all the nations now united in the common purpose of winning the war should seek unitedly to ensure an enduring peace. The dangers of future aggression can be removed, and world security attained, only by a general international organization of peace-loving nations. You will accordingly be invited to approve of Canadian participation in the establishment of an international organization to further national security through international co-operation.

While the post-war objective of our external policy is world security and general prosperity, the post-war objective of our domestic policy is social security and human welfare.

In the opinion of my Ministers plans for the establishment of a national minimum of social security and human welfare should be advanced as rapidly as possible. Such a national minimum contemplates useful employment for all who are willing to work; standards of nutrition and housing adequate to ensure the health of the whole population; and social insurance against privation resulting from unemployment, from accident, from the death of the breadwinner, from ill-health and from old age.

Post-war planning falls naturally into three broad fields: preparation for the demobilization, rehabilitation and re-establishment in civil life of the men and women in the armed forces; the reconversion of the economic life of the nation from a war-time to a peace-time basis, and its reconstruction in a manner which will provide opportunities for useful employment for all who are willing and able to work; and the provision of insurance against major economic and social hazards.

A broad program has already been developed for the re-establishment of veterans of the present war, and for the care of disabled veterans and the dependents of our fighting men and merchant seamen. You will be asked to approve a measure to provide war service gratuities for all who have served in the armed forces, and also measures to supplement the existing rehabilitation program.

The maintenance of full employment will require, in the period of transition from war to peace, a rapid and efficient conversion of war industries, the enlargement of markets at home and abroad, intensified research into new uses of our natural resources, programs of national and regional development, including housing and community planning.

Suitable peace-time uses for war plants are being sought, and plans are being made for their speedy conversion. To assist in the conversion of war plants and in the development of small and medium-scale industrial enterprises, the provision of additional credit facilities, for both fixed and working capital, will be required. To meet this need, your approval will be sought for the establishment of an Industrial Development Bank as a subsidiary of the Bank of Canada. Expenditures on development work, in preparation for the transition of industry from war to peace, will be encouraged by suitable tax modifications.

To assist in developing post-war export markets for primary and secondary industries, a measure will be submitted to provide for the insurance or guarantee of export credits, and steps are being taken to expand the trade commissioner service abroad.

Provision will be made to expand research activities.

A measure to amend and supplement existing housing legislation will be introduced.

A considerable measure of social security is already provided under federal and provincial legislation, but the working out of a comprehensive national scheme, in which federal and provincial activities will be integrated and which will include nation-wide health insurance, will require further consultation and close co-operation with the provinces. My Ministers will welcome opportunities for such consultation.

When suitable agreements are reached with the provinces, My Ministers will be prepared to recommend measures to provide for federal assistance in a nation-wide system of health insurance, and for a national scheme of contributory old age pensions on a more generous basis than that at present in operation.

The family and the home are the foundation of national life. To aid in ensuring a minimum of well-being to the children of the nation and to help gain for them a closer approach to equality of opportunity in the battle of life, you will be asked to approve a measure making provision for family allowances.

My Ministers believe that the time is rapidly approaching when a Minister of the Crown should be responsible for each of the three broad fields of post-war planning. You will accordingly be asked to approve the establishment of the following departments of government:—

(1) A Department of Veterans' Affairs to have charge of the rehabilitation and re-establishment of members of the armed forces, and the administration of veterans' pensions and allowances;

(2) A Department of Reconstruction to promote and co-ordinate planning for national development and post-war employment; and

(3) A Department of Social Welfare to organize and to assist in administering activities of the federal government in the fields of health and social insurance.

Underlying efforts for the winning of the war and the solution of post-war problems is the necessity of preventing the inflationary effects of war. My Ministers believe that to prevent inflation and to safeguard a basic standard of living it remains necessary to maintain the price ceiling and stabilization of wages and salaries.

To ensure economic stability for agriculture, you will be asked to make provision for a price floor for staple farm products.

Among other matters to which your attention will be directed will be the revision of the Bank Act, and the provision of adequate facilities for the exercise of the franchise by men and women serving in the armed forces.

Members of the House of Commons:

You will be asked to make financial provision for the effective prosecution of the war and for other necessary services.

Honourable Members of the Senate:

Members of the House of Commons:

I express, I know, the thoughts of all Canada when I say with what pride and admiration we have followed the exploits of our armed forces. At sea, on land and in the air, the fighting men of Canada, wherever they have served, have displayed the highest courage, endurance and skill. I give them your assurance that their lives are more precious to their country than all else, and that it is our supreme aim to ensure their early and victorious return to their homeland.

As I invite your consideration of the very difficult problems which will engage your attention in this momentous year, I pray that Divine Providence may guide and bless your deliberations.

The Commons withdrew.

His Excellency the Governor General was pleased to retire.

The Senate was resumed.

The Honourable Senator King presented to the Senate a Bill intituled: "An Act relating to Railways."

The said Bill was read the first time.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that a copy of the Speech of His Excellency the Governor General had been left in his hands.

The same was read by the Honourable the Speaker.

On motion, it was—

Ordered, That the Speech of His Excellency the Governor General be taken into consideration on Tuesday, next.

The Honourable the Speaker presented to the Senate the Report of the Librarian of Parliament for the year 1943.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

LIBRARY OF PARLIAMENT

Report of the Librarian for 1943

To the Honourable the Speaker of the Senate:

The General Librarian of Parliament has the honour to submit to Parliament his report on the Library for the year 1943.

The Supplementary Catalogue of books donated and purchased during 1943 is in course of printing and will be distributed at an early date.

The General Librarian is grateful for many interesting donations received during the year.

Our London agents have written to us that because of the acute paper shortage in England books are being published there only in very limited editions. As the British home market has priority, many of our orders have remained unfilled. All the usual British government publications, however, have been received. As to French books, conditions are even worse, none at

all being received from France, only a few coming from the United States, and a few being published in Canada. There has, however, been a mixed increase in the number of books by French-Canadian authors published in Canada.

The number of books received under the terms of Section 11 of the Copyright Amendment Act 1931 continues to grow year by year; 139 books were received in 1932, while the number registered during 1943 was 475.

We have now received the Library of Congress Catalogue of Printed Books as far as Volume 60 (Grono), and the British Museum General Catalogue of Printed Books as far as Volume 36 (Chic).

Owing to the decrease of the vote available for the purchase of books, and the addition of war taxes, the strictest economy has had to be used, especially in the purchase of lighter literature. Important books relating to various aspects of the war and to the special needs of Parliament have, however, been added to the library.

Although an improvement was made in the general lighting of the library when the old reflectors were removed from the dome and replaced by special lamps, the Public Works Department state that it will not be possible to do anything about the lighting of the alcoves while war restrictions prevail.

The congested state of the library has been referred to year after year since 1900. All space available inside and outside has been used, and there are no means at present of securing additional space in the library nor in any other building under the jurisdiction of the Public Works Department, according to a report of the Chief Architect. The architectural construction of the building makes it impossible to alter the plan of the chamber, or to enlarge the building itself.

These matters were fully dealt with in a report submitted by the General Librarian to the Joint Committee on the Library of Parliament which sat July 22, 1943, at which sitting the Committee adopted the following resolution:—

That this Committee is of the opinion that as soon as circumstances permit the government should consider the desirability of creating a National Library, and the maintenance of the existing library as a Parliamentary Library for the use of Honourable Senators and Members of Parliament.

This was incorporated in the Joint Committee's report to Parliament which was tabled in both Houses, July 24, 1943.

Respectfully submitted,

FELIX DESROCHERS,
General Librarian.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion of the Honourable Senator King, it was,—

Ordered, That all the Senators present during this Session be appointed a Committee to consider the Orders and Customs of the Senate and Privileges of Parliament, and that the said Committee have leave to meet in the Senate Chamber when and as often as they please.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion of the Honourable Senator King, it was,—

Ordered, That pursuant to Rule 77 the following Senators, to wit: The Honourable Senators Ballantyne, Beaubien (Montarville), Buchanan, Copp, Haig, Howard, Sinclair, White, and the mover be appointed a Committee of Selection to nominate Senators to serve on the several Standing Committees during the present Session; and to report with all convenient speed the names of the Senators so nominated.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion of the Honourable Senator King, seconded by the Honourable Senator Ballantyne, it was;—

Ordered,—That for the duration of the present Session of Parliament, should an emergency arise during any adjournment of the Senate, which would in the opinion of the Honourable the Speaker warrant that the Senate meet prior to the time set forth in the motion for such adjournment, the Honourable the Speaker be authorized to notify Honourable Senators at their addresses registered with the Clerk of the Senate to meet at a time earlier than that set out in the motion for such adjournment, and non-receipt by any one or more Honourable Senators of such call shall not have any effect upon the sufficiency and validity thereof.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday, next, at eight o'clock in the evening.

The Senate adjourned.

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JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Tuesday, 1st February, 1944

8 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Duff,	Jones,	Murdock,
Aylesworth	Duffus,	King,	Paquet,
(Sir Allen),	DuTremblay,	Lambert,	Paterson,
Ballantyne,	Fafard,	Leger,	Quinn,
Barnard,	Fallis,	Macdonald	Raymond,
Beaubien (St. Jean	Farris,	(Richmond-West	Robertson,
Baptiste),	Foster,	Cape Breton),	Robicheau,
Beauregard,	Green,	Macdonald	Robinson,
Black,	Griesbach,	(Cardigan),	St. Père,
Blais,	Haig,	MacLennan,	Sinclair,
Bourque,	Hardy,	Marcotte,	Smith (Victoria-
Buchanan,	Harmer,	Marshall,	Carleton),
Calder,	Hayden,	McDonald	Stevenson,
Campbell,	Horner,	(Shediac),	Sutherland,
Copp,	Howard,	McGuire,	Tanner,
David,	Hugessen,	McIntyre,	Vien,
Davies,	Hushion,	Molloy,	White,
Donnelly,	Johnston,	Morand,	Wilson.

PRAYERS.

The following petitions were presented:—

By the Honourable Senator Blais:

Of The North American Baptist General Missionary Society, Inc., of the State of New York, U.S.A., the parent society of The General Missionary Society of the German Baptist Churches of North America, incorporated by chapter 88 of the statutes of Canada, 1922; praying for the passing of an Act changing the name of the latter society to "The North American Baptist General Missionary Society."

By the Honourable Senator Aylesworth:

Of Sophie Kohen, of Toronto, Ontario; praying that a Royal Commission be appointed to investigate alleged grievances; that certain public Acts be amended, and that a new trial in the courts be granted her.

By the Honourable Senator Robinson:

Of The New Brunswick Railway Company; praying for the passing of an Act authorizing it to reduce its capital.

The Honourable Senator King laid on the Table:—

Report of the Secretary of State for External Affairs for the year ended 31st December, 1943. (English and French.)

General Orders (The Canadian Army) from 4th February to 3rd December, 1943. (English.)

General Orders (The Canadian Army) from 4th February to 26th November, 1943. (French.)

Report of the Department of National Defence for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1943.

Report of the Department of Mines and Resources for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1943. (English and French.)

List of permits issued under the authority of Subsection 2 of Section 4, of the Immigration Act for the calendar year 1943.

Report with regard to loans made during the calendar year 1943 out of the Revolving Fund established under Subsection 1 of Section 94 (b) of the Indian Act; and the amounts outstanding on principal and interest as at December 31, 1943.

List of the Indians enfranchised during the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1943, indicating the grant made to each Indian so enfranchised, as required by Section 113 of the Indian Act.

List of land sales, leases and permits cancelled during the period from 1st January to 31st December, 1943, as required by Subsection 5 of Section 64 of the Indian Act.

Copies of Orders in Council passed since the last Return to Parliament as required by Section 75 of the Dominion Lands Act.

Statement with respect to liquor permits issued during the period from 1st January to 31st December, 1943, as required by Section 93 of the Northwest Territories Act.

Copies of regulations established by Orders in Council passed since the last Return to Parliament under the provisions of the Migratory Birds Convention Act.

Copies of Orders in Council P.C. 9193 dated 2nd December, 1943, and P.C. 116/9745 dated 27th December, 1943, as required by Subsection 2 of Section 37, of The Veterans' Land Act, 1942.

Statement showing that during the past year no drainage works were constructed under the provisions of the Reclamation Act; also, that during that period no rental was collected for the sale or leasing of Dominion Lands reclaimed, under the provisions of the Reclamation Act.

List of leases, licences, permits or other authorities cancelled since the last report was made to Parliament as required by Section 96 of the Dominion Lands Act.

Copies of Ordinances passed under the provisions of Section 13 of the Northwest Territories Act, as follows:—

1. An Ordinance to amend the Workmen's Compensation Ordinance.
2. An Ordinance to amend the Territorial Liquor Ordinance.
3. An Ordinance respecting Employment Agencies.
4. An Ordinance to amend the Motor Vehicle Ordinance.
5. An Ordinance to amend the Steam Boiler and Pressure Plant Ordinance.
6. An Ordinance respecting the Prevention of Venereal Disease.
7. An Ordinance respecting the Appointment of Sheriffs.

List of apportionments and adjustments of seed grain, fodder and relief indebtedness giving the particulars of discharges, releases, etc., as required by Section 2 of an Act Respecting Certain Debts Due the Crown.

Report of the work of the Department of Pensions and National Health, Canadian Pension Commission, War Veterans' Allowance Board, and Civil Air Raid Precautions, for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1943. (English and French.)

Regulations made under the Department of Pensions and National Health Act since 30th April, 1943.

Regulations made under the Proprietary or Patent Medicine Act since 28th January, 1943.

Statement respecting Treatment of Sick Mariners—Receipts and Expenditures for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1943.

Regulations made under the Public Works Health Act since 28th January, 1943.

Copy of Order in Council P.C. 6773, dated 26th August, 1943, approving the revision of Part VII of The Air Regulations, 1938.

Naval Orders 2913-3333, from 24th July, 1943, to 16th January, 1944, inclusive.

Report of the Canadian Farm Loan Board for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1943.

Report of the Department of National Revenue containing Statements relative to Customs-Excise Revenue and other Services by Ports and Outports; Excise and Income of the Dominion of Canada for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1943. (English and French.)

Exchange of Notes between Canada and the United States of America respecting customs privileges for government employees (Ottawa, July 21, October 29 and November 9, 1942). (Treaty Series, 1942, No. 20.)

Exchange of Notes between Canada and the United States of America recording an agreement regarding the construction of the Haines-Champagne Highway (Ottawa, November 28 and December 7, 1942). (Treaty Series 1942, No. 21.)

Exchange of Notes between Canada and the United States of America recording an agreement regarding the southern terminus of the Alaska Highway (Ottawa, May 4 and 9, 1942). (Treaty Series 1942, No. 22.)

Exchange of Notes between Canada and the United States of America constituting an agreement for the construction and maintenance of a pipeline and a refinery at Whitehorse, Yukon (Ottawa, June 27 and 29, 1942). (Treaty Series 1942, No. 23.)

Exchange of Notes between Canada and the United States of America recording an agreement for the establishment of an oil supply line from Skagway to Whitehorse (Ottawa, August 14 and 15, 1942). (Treaty Series 1942, No. 24.)

Exchange of Notes between Canada and the United Kingdom providing for reciprocal exemption of persons resident in Canada and British Guiana from income tax on earnings derived from the operation of ships (Ottawa, July 7 and September 3, 1943). (Treaty Series 1943, No. 7.)

Exchange of Notes between Canada and the United Kingdom recording arrangements for establishing a Canadian Government trans-Atlantic air service (London, July 15 and 16, 1943). (Treaty Series 1943, No. 8.)

Exchange of Notes between Canada and Newfoundland recording arrangements for establishing a Canadian Government trans-Atlantic air service (St. John's, Newfoundland, July 19 and 30, 1943). (Treaty Series 1943, No. 9.)

Exchange of Notes between Canada and the United States of America recording an agreement regarding the official name of the Alaska Highway (Washington, July 19, 1943). (Treaty Series 1943, No. 10.)

Exchange of Notes between Canada and the United States of America recording arrangements for exemption from provincial and municipal taxation of United States defence projects in Canada (Ottawa, August 6 and 9, 1943). (Treaty Series 1943, No. 11.)

Exchange of Notes between Canada and the United States of America recording an agreement for the waiver of claims arising from collisions between vessels of war (Washington, May 25 and 26, 1943). (Treaty Series 1943, No. 12.)

Arrangement between Canada and the United States of America regarding jurisdiction with respect to prizes (Ottawa and Washington, August 3 and September 27, 1943). (Treaty Series 1943, No. 13.)

Exchange of Notes between Canada and the United Kingdom recording an agreement for the waiver of claims arising from collisions between vessels of war (London, August 27 and October 27, 1943). (Treaty Series 1943, No. 14.)

Exchange of Notes between Canada and the United States of America extending to October 1, 1944, the Agreement for the temporary raising of the level of Lake St. Francis of the 10th November, 1941 (Washington, October 5 and 11, 1943). (Treaty Series 1943, No. 15.)

Agreement for the establishment of the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration (Washington, November 9, 1943). (Treaty Series 1943, No. 16.)

Exchange of Notes between Canada and the United States of America recording an agreement regarding the post-war use by United States vehicles of the roads leading from the United States boundary to the Alaska Highway (Ottawa, April 10, 1943). (Treaty Series 1943, No. 17.)

Exchange of Notes between Canada and the United States of America concerning the drilling of oil wells in Northwestern Canada (Ottawa, December 28, 1942, and January 19, 1943). (Treaty Series 1943, No. 18.)

Exchange of Notes between Canada and the United States of America recording an agreement concerning the drilling of oil wells in Northwestern Canada (Ottawa, January 18, February 17 and March 13, 1943). (Treaty Series 1943, No. 19.)

Exchange of Notes between Canada and the United States of America recording an agreement on the construction and operation of radio broadcasting stations in Northwestern Canada (Ottawa, November 5 and 25, 1943, and January 17, 1944). (Treaty Series 1944, No. 1.)

Report of the Minister of Agriculture for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1943. (English and French.)

Report on Activities under the Prairie Farm Assistance Act for the Crop Year 1942-43.

Report of Agreements under the Agricultural Products Co-operative Marketing Act for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1943. (English and French.)

General Orders (Air Force) from 15th January, 1943, to 21st January, 1944.

Copy of King's Regulations for The Royal Canadian Air Force, 1943.

Copies of Reports of the National War Labour Board following the enquiry undertaken in 1943 into labour conditions in Canada. (English and French.)

Copies of Proclamations and Orders in Council, passed under the provisions of the War Measures Act, between 18th June and the 31st December, 1943, in typewritten form. (English and French.)

Report of the Advisory Committee on Reconstruction. (English and French.)

Reports of Subcommittees of the Advisory Committee on Reconstruction on Agricultural Policy; Publicly-Financed Construction Projects; Conservation and Development of Natural Resources; Post-War Problems of Women; Post-War Employment Opportunities.

Report of the Commissioner of Patents for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1943. (English and French.)

Report of the Department of Public Printing and Stationery for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1943. (English and French.)

Report of the Secretary of State for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1943.

Report of the Superintendent of Bankruptcy for the calendar year 1942 in typewritten form.

Naval Orders 3334-3355 dated 22nd January, 1944.

The Honourable Senator Johnston moved, seconded by the Honourable Senator Beaubien (St. Jean Baptiste):—

That the following Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General to offer the humble thanks of this House to His Excellency for the gracious Speech which he has been pleased to make to both Houses of Parliament, namely:

To His Excellency Major-General the Right Honourable the Earl of Athlone, Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, a Member of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Grand Master of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Grand Cross of the Royal Victorian Order, Companion of the Distinguished Service Order, one of His Majesty's Personal Aides-de-Camp, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of the Dominion of Canada.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY:

We, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Senate of Canada, in Parliament assembled, beg leave to offer our humble thanks to Your Excellency for the gracious Speech which Your Excellency has addressed to both Houses of Parliament.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate on the said motion be adjourned until to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 3

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Wednesday, 2nd February, 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Duff,	Johnston,	Morand,
Aylesworth	Duffus,	Jones,	Murdock,
(Sir Allen),	DuTremblay,	King,	Paquet,
Ballantyne,	Euler,	Lambert,	Paterson,
Barnard,	Fafard,	Leger,	Quinn,
Beaubien (St. Jean	Fallis,	Macdonald	Raymond,
Baptiste),	Farris,	(Richmond-West	Robertson,
Beauregard,	Foster,	Cape Breton),	Robicheau,
Black,	Green,	Macdonald	Robinson,
Blais,	Griesbach,	(Cardigan),	St. Père,
Bourque,	Haig,	MacLennan,	Sinclair,
Buchanan,	Hardy,	Marcotte,	Smith (Victoria-
Calder,	Harmer,	Marshall,	Carleton),
Campbell,	Hayden,	McDonald	Stevenson,
Copp,	Horner,	(Shediac),	Sutherland,
David,	Howard,	McGuire,	Tanner,
Davies,	Hugessen,	McIntyre,	Vien,
Donnelly,	Hushion,	Molloy,	White,
			Wilson.

PRAYERS.

The following petition was presented:—

By the Honourable Senator Euler:

Of Gore District Mutual Fire Insurance Company; praying for the passing of an Act extending the classes of insurance for which it may make contracts.

The Honourable Senator Copp, from the Committee of Selection appointed to nominate Senators to serve on the several Standing Committees for the present Session, presented their first Report:—

The same was then read by the Clerk as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 2nd February, 1944.

The Committee of Selection appointed to nominate Senators to serve on the several Standing Committees for the present Session, have the honour to report herewith the following list of Senators selected by them to serve on each of the following Standing Committees, namely:—

Joint Committee on the Library

The Honourable the Speaker, the Honourable Senators Aseltine, Aylesworth (Sir Allen), Beaubien (*Montarville*), Bench, Blais, Cantley, Chapais (Sir Thomas), David, Fallis, Gouin, Griesbach, Jones, Lambert, Logan, MacLennan and Wilson.—17.

Joint Committee on Printing

The Honourable Senators Beaubien (*St. Jean Baptiste*), Blais, Chapais (Sir Thomas), Davies, Dennis, Donnelly, Euler, Fallis, Foster, Green, Harmer, Lacasse, Macdonald (*Cardigan*), McDonald (*Shediac*), Moraud, Mullins, Pope, St. Père, Sinclair, Stevenson and White.—21.

Joint Committee on the Restaurant

The Honourable the Speaker, the Honourable Senators Beaubien (*Montarville*), Fallis, Haig, Hardy, Howard and Robinson.—7.

Standing Orders

The Honourable Senators Beaubien (*St. Jean Baptiste*), Buchanan, Duff, DuTremblay, Hayden, Jones, Macdonald (*St. Peters*), St. Père and White.—9.

Banking and Commerce

The Honourable Senators Aylesworth (Sir Allen), Ballantyne, Barnard, Beaubien (*Montarville*), Bearegard, Black, Buchanan, Copp, David, Donnelly, DuTremblay, Euler, Fallis, Farris, Foster, Gouin, Griesbach, Haig, Hardy, Hayden, Howard, Hugessen, King, Lambert, Léger, Macdonald (*Cardigan*), Marcotte, McGuire, McRae, Michener, Molloy, Moraud, Murdock, Paterson, Quinn, Raymond, Riley, Robinson, Sinclair, Tanner, White and Wilson.—42.

Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours

The Honourable Senators Ballantyne, Barnard, Beaubien (*Montarville*), Bench, Black, Blais, Bourque, Calder, Cantley, Copp, Dennis, Duff, Duffus, Fafard, Farris, Gouin, Green, Griesbach, Hardy, Harmer, Hayden, Horner,

Hugessen, Hushion, Johnston, Jones, King, Lacasse, Lambert, Macdonald (*St. Peters*), MacLennan, Marcotte, Marshall, McDonald (*Shediac*), McGuire, McRae, Michener, Molloy, Moraud, Murdock, Paterson, Raymond, Robicheau, Robinson, Sauvé, Sinclair, Smith (*Victoria-Carleton*), Stevenson, Sutherland and Turgeon.—50.

Miscellaneous Private Bills

The Honourable Senators Aylesworth (Sir Allen), Barnard, Beaubien (*St. Jean Baptiste*), Beauregard, Black, Cantley, David, Duff, Duffus, Euler, Fafard, Griesbach, Harmer, Hayden, Howard, Hushion, Lambert, Leger, Marshall, McRae, Mullins, Quinn, Sauvé, Smith (*Victoria-Carleton*) and Tanner.—25.

Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts

The Honourable Senators Ballantyne, Beaubien (*St. Jean Baptiste*), Campbell, Cantley, Chapais (Sir Thomas), Copp, Fafard, Fallis, Foster, Gouin, Haig, Hayden, Howard, King, Lambert, Logan, MacLennan, Marcotte, McRae, Michener, Moraud, Murdock, Quinn, Vien (*Speaker*) and White.—25.

External Relations

The Honourable Senators Aylesworth (Sir Allen), Beaubien (*Montarville*), Beaubien (*St. Jean Baptiste*), Bench, Black, Buchanan, Calder, Chapais (Sir Thomas), Copp, David, Donnelly, Fafard, Farris, Gouin, Griesbach, Hardy, Hugessen, King, Lambert, Leger, McGuire, McIntyre, McRae, Tanner and White.—25.

Finance

The Honourable Senators Aseltine, Ballantyne, Beauregard, Black, Buchanan, Copp, Davies, Duff, DuTremblay, Fafard, Farris, Foster, Hayden, Howard, Hugessen, Hushion, King, Lacasse, McRae, Michener, Moraud, Paterson, Robertson, Robicheau and White.—25.

Tourist Traffic

The Honourable Senators Buchanan, Davies, Dennis, Duffus, DuTremblay, Foster, Green, Horner, Marshall, Murdock, Paquet and St. Père.—12.

Debates and Reporting

The Honourable Senators Aseltine, Beauregard, Chapais (Sir Thomas), DuTremblay, Fallis, Howard, Lacasse, St. Père and Sauvé.—9.

Divorce

The Honourable Senators Aseltine, Copp, Euler, Haig, Howard, King, Robinson, Sinclair and Stevenson.—9.

Agriculture and Forestry

The Honourable Senators Black, Donnelly, Marshall, Raymond, Riley, Sinclair, Smith (*Wentworth*), Stevenson and Sutherland.—9.

Immigration and Labour

The Honourable Senators Blais, Bourque, Calder, Donnelly, Hushion, McDonald (*Shediac*), Molloy, Murdock and Turgeon.—9.

Commerce and Trade Relations of Canada

The Honourable Senators Euler, Gouin, Haig, Macdonald (*Cardigan*), MacLennan, Moraud, Paterson, Riley and Robicheau.—9.

Public Health and Inspection of Foods

The Honourable Senators Blais, Bourque, King, Lacasse, Leger, Macdonald (*St. Peters*), Molloy, Paquet and Wilson.—9.

Civil Service Administration

The Honourable Senators Copp, Fafard, Gouin, Griesbach, Marcotte, McRae, Quinn, Robinson and Wilson.—9.

Public Buildings and Grounds

The Honourable Senators Black, Fallis, Harmer, Lambert, McGuire, Sinclair, Smith (*Victoria-Carleton*), Smith (*Wentworth*) and Wilson.—9.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

On motion of the Honourable Senator King, it was—

Ordered,—That the Senators mentioned in the Report of the Committee of Selection as having been chosen to serve on the several Standing Committees during the present Session, be and they are hereby appointed to form part of and constitute the several Committees with which their respective names appear in said Report, to inquire into and report upon such matters as may be referred to them from time to time, and that the Committee on Standing Orders is authorized to send for persons, papers and records whenever required; and also that the Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts have power, without special reference by the Senate, to consider any matter affecting the internal economy of the Senate, as to which the Honourable the Speaker is not called upon to act by the Civil Service Act, and such Committee shall report the result of such consideration to the Senate for action.

On motion of the Honourable Senator King, it was—

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons by one of the Clerks at the Table, to inform that House that the Honourable the Speaker, the Honourable Senators Aseltine, Aylesworth (Sir Allen), Beaubien (*Montarville*), Bench, Blais, Cantley, Chapais (Sir Thomas), David, Fallis, Gouin, Griesbach, Jones, Lambert, Logan, MacLennan and Wilson, have been appointed a Committee to assist the Honourable the Speaker in the direction of the Library of Parliament, so far as the interests of the Senate are concerned, and to act on behalf of the Senate as Members of a Joint Committee of both Houses on the said Library.

On motion of the Honourable Senator King, it was—

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons by one of the Clerks at the Table, to inform that House that the Honourable Senators Beaubien (*St. Jean Baptiste*), Blais, Chapais (Sir Thomas), Davies, Dennis, Donnelly, Euler, Fallis, Foster, Green, Harmer, Lacasse, Macdonald (*Cardigan*),

McDonald (*Shediac*), Moraud, Mullins, Pope, St. Père, Sinclair, Stevenson and White, have been appointed a Committee to superintend the printing of the Senate during the present Session, and to act on behalf of the Senate as Members of a Joint Committee of both Houses on the subject of the Printing of Parliament.

On motion of the Honourable Senator King, it was—

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons by one of the Clerks at the Table, to inform that House that the Honourable the Speaker, the Honourable Senators Beaubien (*Montarville*), Fallis, Haig, Hardy, Howard and Robinson, have been appointed a Committee to assist the Honourable the Speaker in the direction of the Restaurant of Parliament, so far as the interests of the Senate are concerned, and to act on behalf of the Senate as Members of a Joint Committee of both Houses on the said Restaurant.

On motion of the Honourable Senator Aylesworth, it was—

Ordered, That the petition of Sophie Kohen, of Toronto, Ontario; praying that a Royal Commission be appointed to investigate alleged grievances; that certain public Acts be amended, and that a new trial in the courts be granted her, presented to the Senate on the 1st February, 1944, be referred to the Standing Committee on Standing Orders for consideration and report.

The Honourable Senator King laid on the Table:—

Report of the Department of Transport for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1943. (English and French.)

Copy of Order in Council P.C. 2/602, approved 31st January, 1944, amending regulations *re* allowances authorized to be awarded by the Veterans' Allowance Board.

Copy of Order in Council P.C. 1/602, approved 31st January, 1944, amending Regulations made under the Department of Pensions and National Health Act, 1928.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the consideration of His Excellency the Governor General's Speech from the Throne at the opening of the present Session of Parliament, and the motion of the Honourable Senator Johnston, seconded by the Honourable Senator Beaubien (St. Jean Baptiste).—

That the following Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General to offer the humble thanks of this House to His Excellency for the gracious Speech which he has been pleased to make to both Houses of Parliament, namely:—

To His Excellency Major-General the Right Honourable the Earl of Athlone, Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, a Member of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Grand Master of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Grand Cross of the Royal Victorian Order, Companion of the Distinguished Service Order, one of His Majesty's Personal Aides-de-Camp, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of the Dominion of Canada.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY:

We, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Senate of Canada, in Parliament assembled, beg leave to offer our humble thanks to Your Excellency for the gracious Speech which Your Excellency has addressed to both Houses of Parliament.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate on the said motion be adjourned until to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

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JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Thursday, 3rd February, 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Duff,	Johnston,	Morand,
Aylesworth	Duffus,	Jones,	Murdock,
(Sir Allen),	DuTremblay,	King,	Paquet,
Ballantyne,	Euler,	Lambert,	Paterson,
Barnard,	Fafard,	Leger,	Quinn,
Beaubien (St. Jean	Fallis,	Macdonald	Robertson,
Baptiste),	Farris,	(Richmond-West	Robicheau,
Beauregard,	Foster,	Cape Breton),	Robinson,
Black,	Green,	Macdonald	St. Père,
Blais,	Griesbach,	(Cardigan),	Sinclair,
Bourque,	Haig,	MacLennan,	Smith (Victoria-
Buchanan,	Hardy,	Marcotte,	Carleton),
Calder,	Harmer,	Marshall,	Stevenson,
Campbell,	Hayden,	McDonald	Sutherland,
Copp,	Horner,	(Shediac),	Tanner,
David,	Howard,	McGuire,	Vien,
Davies,	Hugessen,	McIntyre,	White,
Donnelly,	Hushion,	Molloy,	Wilson.

PRAYERS.

The following petitions were severally presented:—

By the Honourable Senator Hayden:

Of Stanley William Blanchard and others of Ottawa, Ontario; praying to be incorporated under the name of "Wesleyan Methodist Church of America in Canada."

By the Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce:

Of Joseph Ulric Edouard Burns, of Montreal, Quebec, motorman; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Marie Angelina Graziella Ducasse Burns.

Of Thomas Dwyer, of Verdun, Quebec, clerk; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Mary Hughes Dwyer.

Of Cecil Benjamin Pomeroy, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Hazel Alice Pomeroy.

Of Jean Fernand Georges Robitaille, of Montreal, Quebec, civil servant; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Marie Elizabeth Hebert Robitaille.

Of Margaret Georgina Isabel Townsend Mansfield, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Roy William Mansfield.

Of Arthur Charles Duffy, of Montreal, Quebec, teletype operator; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Grace Winifred Hockley Duffy.

Of Louisa O'Tool Shelley, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Josiah Shelley.

Of Mary Annesley Iverson, of Verdun, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Allan Douglas Iverson.

Of Mary Hope Beers Ross, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Herbert Percival Alvin Ross.

Of Charlotte Muriel Wright, of the village of Low, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Robert Douglas Wright.

Of Kathleen O'Raw Major, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Frederick Arthur Major.

Of Sarah Slutsky Shapiro, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Max Shapiro.

Of Freda Watson Norman Daniels, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Thomas Basil Hasard Daniels.

Of Paul Sanson White, of the town of Hampstead, Quebec, manager; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Beryl Brintnell White.

Of Alfreda Elsie Hatch Carpenter, of Westmount, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Henry William Carpenter.

Of Ethel Sangster Muir, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with John Muir.

Of Theodore Zalopany, of Montreal, Quebec, window cleaner; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Natalia Karp Zalopany.

Of Wilson Allan Martin, of Montreal, Quebec, claims agent; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Olive Bernice Pelletier Martin.

Of Pasquale Di Guglielmo, of Montreal, Quebec, mechanic; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Lucette Monette Di Guglielmo.

Of Helaine Ethel Leopold Lax, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Samuel Julius Lax.

Of Myrtle Josephine Teel Odell, of the town of Waterloo, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Clifford Alexander Odell.

Of Vera Seppala Vuorimies, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, and at present residing at the city of New York, in the state of New York, one of the United States of America; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Vaino Walter Vuorimies, of the said city of Montreal.

Of Julia Menard Mills, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Kenneth Mills.

Of Pauline Hislop Ralph, of Outremont, Quebec, praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Nathan Ralph.

Of Goldie Anker Lazanik, of Montreal, Quebec, sales clerk, praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Philip Lazanik.

Of Emma Gertrude Groves Morris, of the town of Springfield Park, in the county of Chambly, Quebec, praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with George Morris, junior.

Of Marjorie Parker Leduc, of Montreal, Quebec, praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Henri Leduc.

Of Sarah Carmichael Hay Johnston, of Montreal, Quebec, praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Stanley Blount Johnston, junior.

Of Thelma Alice Warren Whittet, of Montreal, Quebec, praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Ormond Leslie Mason Whittet.

Of Wasyl Usypchuk, otherwise known as William Usypchuk, of Montreal, Quebec, railway employee, praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Ladislava Czyzewska Usypchuk, otherwise known as Virginia Cheskesy Usypchuk.

Of Erna Warthold Langlois, of Outremont, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Alexandre Langlois, junior.

Of Margaret Derry Kirby, of Montreal, Quebec, praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Alfred Kirby.

Of Theodora B. Ostlund Fruitier, of Montreal, Quebec, modiste, praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Louis Douglas Fruitier.

Of Kiril John Christo, of Montreal, Quebec, mechanic, praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Vasilika L. Godochi Christo, otherwise known as Celia Godochi Christo.

Of George Thomas Bragger, of Montreal, Quebec, praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Dorothy Richardson Bragger.

Of Ethel Mary Moffatt Shaw, of Outremont, Quebec, clerk, praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Fred Shaw.

Of George Hodgson Fisher, of Montreal, Quebec, office clerk, praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Jane Rollit Grece Fisher.

Of Annie Drewniak Sonberg, of Montreal, Quebec, dress operator, praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with David Sonberg, otherwise known as Dave Zonberg.

Of Walter Stanley Spencer, of Montreal, Quebec, praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Lucy Mae Kingston Spencer.

Of Gertrude Margaret Amy Ogilvie, of Westmount, Quebec, praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Lorne Frederick Wilson Ogilvie.

Of Iris Mabel Dash Wilkinson, of the town of Valois, Quebec, praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Harry Wilkinson.

Of Vernon Oswald Marquez, of the town of Vaudreuil, Quebec, production engineer; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Marjorie Dufew Marquez.

Of Nellie Blinkhorn Cowie, of Montreal, Quebec, praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Robert Cowie.

Of Molly Gurevitch Gladman, of Montreal, Quebec, praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Albert Gladman.

Of Violet Magdalen Johnson Overall, of Montreal, Quebec, praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Arthur William Overall.

Of Margaret Kirschen Brown MacRae, of the village of Sawyerville, in the district of St. Francis, in the province of Quebec, and at present residing at the city of Revelstoke, in the province of British Columbia, school teacher, praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Arthur Lyell MacRae, of the said village.

Of Nita Marjorie Hammerich Ward, of the city of Thetford Mines, in the district of Arthabaska, in the province of Quebec, and at present residing at the city of Vancouver, in the province of British Columbia, praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Albion Tudor Ward, of the said city of Thetford Mines.

Of Elsie Margaret Ormandy Henderson, of Montreal, Quebec, praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with James Gray Henderson.

Of Edna Lyall Burgess Lambert, of Montreal, Quebec, praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Rene Augustin Lambert,

Of Horace Henry Chapman, of the town of Fulford, in the county of Brome, Quebec, railway conductor; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Annie Winifred Patch Chapman.

Of Roland Edouard Levert, of Montreal, Quebec, mechanic, praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Marie-Des-Neiges Simone Lafleur Levert.

Of Diana Lenore Carsley Tenenhouse, of Montreal, Quebec, sales clerk, praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Moses Tenenhouse.

Of Pinnie Rosenhek Leopold, of Montreal, Quebec, praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Henry Leslie Leopold.

Of Rachel Segal Kaparofsky, of Montreal, Quebec, praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Abraham Kaparofsky.

Of Adélaré Bélanger, of Montreal, Quebec, praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Rose Anna Robidoux Belanger.

Of Vera Grace Percy Moore, of Verdun, Quebec, praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Ellsworth Stillman Moore.

Of William Mace, of Montreal, Quebec, praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Gladys Lillian Mace.

Of Paul Lapointe, of Montreal, Quebec, commercial traveller, praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Marie Lucina Synette Lapointe.

Of Freda Altman Scheien, of Montreal, Quebec, praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Frank P. Scheien.

Of Margaretha Bernhard Cronauer, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Joachim Cronauer.

Of Margaret Kathleen Hollenbeck Fortin, of Verdun, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Adrien Fortin.

The following petitions were severally read and received:—

Of The New Brunswick Railway Company; praying for the passing of an Act authorizing it to reduce its capital.

Of The North American Baptist General Missionary Society, Inc., of the State of New York, U.S.A., the parent society of The General Missionary Society

of the German Baptist Churches of North America, incorporated by chapter 88 of the statutes of Canada, 1922; praying for the passing of an Act changing the name of the latter society to "The North American Baptist General Missionary Society."

The Honourable Senator Buchanan, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 3rd February, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg leave to make their first Report, as follows:—

Your Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to three (3) Members.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. A. BUCHANAN,

Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator Copp, from the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours, presented their first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 3rd February, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours beg leave to make their first Report, as follows:—

Your Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to nine (9) Members.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,

Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator Wilson, from the Standing Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, presented their first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 3rd February, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds beg leave to make their first Report, as follows:—

Your Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to three (3) Members.

All which is respectfully submitted.

CAIRINE R. WILSON,

Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator Euler, from the Standing Committee on Commerce and Trade Relations of Canada, presented their first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 3rd February, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Commerce and Trade Relations of Canada beg leave to make their first Report, as follows:—

Your Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to three (3) Members.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. D. EULER,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator Beauregard, from the Standing Committee on Finance, presented their first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 3rd February, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Finance beg leave to make their first Report, as follows:—

Your Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to seven (7) Members.

All which is respectfully submitted.

ELIE BEAUREGARD,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator Black, from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, presented their first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 3rd February, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce beg leave to make their first Report, as follows:—

Your Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to nine (9) Members.

All which is respectfully submitted.

F. B. BLACK,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator White, from the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts, presented their first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 3rd February, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts beg leave to make their first Report, as follows:—

Your Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to seven (7) Members.

All which is respectfully submitted.

GERALD V. WHITE,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator Tanner, from the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills, presented their first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 3rd February, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills beg leave to make their first Report, as follows:—

Your Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to seven (7) Members.

All which is respectfully submitted.

CHAS. E. TANNER,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator Donnelly, from the Standing Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, presented their first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 3rd February, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Agriculture and Forestry beg leave to make their first Report, as follows:—

Your Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to three (3) Members.

All which is respectfully submitted.

J. J. DONNELLY,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator Marcotte, from the Standing Committee on Civil Service Administration, presented their first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 3rd February, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Civil Service Administration beg leave to make their first Report, as follows:—

Your Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to three (3) Members.

All which is respectfully submitted.

ARTHUR MARCOTTE,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator Robinson, from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 3rd February, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their first Report, as follows:—

1. Your Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to three (3) Members for all purposes, including the taking of evidence upon oath as to the matters set forth in petitions for Bills of Divorce.

2. Your Committee also recommend that leave be given them to sit during all adjournments of the Senate, and also during sittings of the Senate.

3. Your Committee further recommend that in addition to the election of a Chairman they be empowered to elect at any time a Deputy Chairman, and that the Deputy Chairman so elected have powers equal to those of the Chairman.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that, in conformity with Rule 103, the Clerk had laid on the Table the Accounts and Vouchers of the Senate for the fiscal year ended the 31st March, 1943.

Ordered, That the said Accounts and Vouchers be referred to the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts of the Senate.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons, by their Clerk, in the following words:—

WEDNESDAY, 2nd February, 1944.

Resolved,—That a Message be sent to the Senate to acquaint their Honours that this House has appointed the Honourable the Speaker and Messieurs Black (*Yukon*), Dupuis, Edwards, Farquhar, Furniss, Goulet, Howden, Jaques, Laflamme, Lafontaine, Macdonald (*Brantford City*), MacInnis, McGregor,

McIvor, Mayhew, Pinard, Purdy, Rheame, Thauvette, Tucker and Tustin, a Committee to assist His Honour the Speaker in the direction of the Restaurant, so far as the interests of the Commons are concerned, and to act as Members of a Joint Committee of both Houses on the Restaurant.

Ordered,—That the Clerk of the House do carry the said Message to the Senate.

Attest.

ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE,
Clerk of the Commons.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons, by their Clerk, in the following words:—

WEDNESDAY, 2nd February, 1944.

Resolved,—That a Message be sent to the Senate to acquaint their Honours that this House has appointed the Honourable the Speaker and Messrs. Adamson, Aylesworth, Black (*Chateauguay-Huntingdon*), Bruce, Cardiff, Casselman (*Grenville-Dundas*), Castleden, Coldwell, Emmerson, Eudes, Factor, Farquhar, Fontaine, Fournier (*Maisonneuve-Rosemont*), Gershaw, Goulet, Graham, Green, Hansell, Henderson, Howden, Hurtubise, Jaques, Jean, Lizotte, Macdonald (*Halifax*), MacKenzie (*Neepawa*), MacKenzie (*Lambton-Kent*), Macmillan, Marier, Martin, Mayhew, Moore, Poirier, Pouliot, Purdy, Raymond, Reid, Rickard, Ross (*St. Paul's*), Thauvette, Warren, Winkler and Wood, a Committee to assist His Honour the Speaker in the direction of the Library of Parliament, so far as the interests of the House are concerned, and to act on behalf of the House of Commons as members of a Joint Committee of both Houses on the Library.

Ordered,—That the Clerk of the House do carry the said Message to the Senate.

Attest.

ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE,
Clerk of the Commons.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons, by their Clerk, in the following words:—

WEDNESDAY, 2nd February, 1944.

Resolved,—That a Message be sent to the Senate to acquaint their Honours that this House will unite with them in the formation of a Joint Committee of both Houses on the subject of the Printing of Parliament, and that the Members of the Standing Committee on Printing, viz.—Messieurs Bertrand (*Terrebonne*), Bonnier, Bourget, Casselman (*Grenville-Dundas*), Castleden, Chambers, Chevrier, Corman, Crête, d'Anjou, Denis, Dubois, Dupuis, Durocher, Edwards, Emmerson, Esling, Evans, Fauteux, Ferland, Fraser (*Peterborough West*), Furniss, Gillis, Goulet, Grant, Green, Healy, Hlynka, Hoblitzell, Hurtubise, Kuhl, Leader, MacDiarmid, MacKinnon (*Kootenay East*), MacLean (*Cape Breton North-Victoria*), McGregor, McNevin (*Victoria, Ont.*), Mills, Moore, Mulock, Purdy, Rhéaume, Ross (*St. Paul's*), Sinclair, Sissons, Soper, Tripp,

Tucker, Tustin, Weir, White, Whitman, Winkler and Wood, will act as Members on the part of this House, on the said Joint Committee on the Printing of Parliament.

Ordered,—That the Clerk of the House do carry the said Message to the Senate.

Attest.

ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE,
Clerk of the Commons.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the consideration of His Excellency the Governor General's Speech from the Throne at the opening of the present Session of Parliament, and the motion of the Honourable Senator Johnston, seconded by the Honourable Senator Beaubien (*St. Jean Baptiste*).—

That the following Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General to offer the humble thanks of this House to His Excellency for the gracious Speech which he has been pleased to make to both Houses of Parliament, namely:—

To His Excellency Major-General the Right Honourable the Earl of Athlone, Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, a Member of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Grand Master of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Grand Cross of the Royal Victorian Order, Companion of the Distinguished Service Order, one of His Majesty's Personal Aides-de-Camp, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of the Dominion of Canada.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY:

We, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Senate of Canada, in Parliament assembled, beg leave to offer our humble thanks to Your Excellency for the gracious Speech which Your Excellency has addressed to both Houses of Parliament.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate on the said motion be adjourned until to-morrow.

The Honourable Senator Bourque, from the Standing Committee on Public Health and Inspection of Foods, presented their first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 3rd February, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Public Health and Inspection of Foods beg leave to make their first Report, as follows:—

Your Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to three (3) Members.

All which is respectfully submitted.

T. J. BOURQUE,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate.

The said Report was adopted.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 5

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Friday, 4th February, 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Duff,	Johnston,	Paquet,
Aylesworth	Duffus,	Jones,	Quinn,
(Sir Allen),	Fafard,	King,	Robertson,
Ballantyne,	Fallis,	Lambert,	Robinson,
Barnard,	Farris,	Leger,	St. Père,
Beaubien (St. Jean	Foster,	Macdonald	Sinclair,
Baptiste),	Green,	(Richmond-West	Smith (Victoria-
Black,	Griesbach,	Cape Breton),	Carleton),
Blais,	Haig,	Macdonald	Stevenson,
Bourque,	Hardy,	(Cardigan),	Sutherland,
Buchanan,	Harmer,	MacLennan,	Tanner,
Calder,	Hayden,	Marcotte,	Vien,
Copp,	Horner,	McGuire,	White,
David,	Howard,	McIntyre,	Wilson.
Davies,	Hugessen,	Molloy,	

PRAYERS.

The following petition was read and received:—

Of Gore District Mutual Fire Insurance Company; praying for the passing of an Act extending the classes of insurance for which it may make contracts.

On motion of the Honourable Senator Robinson, it was—

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons requesting that House to return to the Senate the evidence adduced before the Committee on Divorce during the last Session of Parliament upon which the following Bills were founded:—

Bill (J-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of William Taffert".

Bill (W-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ruth Usher Garson".

The Honourable Senator King laid on the Table:—

Naval Orders 3356-3379 dated 29th January, 1944.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the consideration of His Excellency the Governor General's Speech from the Throne at the opening of the present Session of Parliament, and the motion of the Honourable Senator Johnston, seconded by the Honourable Senator Beaubien (*St. Jean Baptiste*).—

That the following Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General to offer the humble thanks of this House to His Excellency for the gracious Speech which he has been pleased to make to both Houses of Parliament, namely:—

To His Excellency Major-General the Right Honourable the Earl of Athlone, Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, a Member of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Grand Master of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Grand Cross of the Royal Victorian Order, Companion of the Distinguished Service Order, one of His Majesty's Personal Aides-de-Camp, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of the Dominion of Canada.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY:

We, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Senate of Canada, in Parliament assembled, beg leave to offer our humble thanks to Your Excellency for the gracious Speech which Your Excellency has addressed to both Houses of Parliament.

After further debate, and—

The question of concurrence being put on the said motion, it was resolved in the affirmative, and—

Ordered, That the said Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor General by such Members of this House as are Members of the Honourable the Privy Council.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday, the seventh day of March, next, at eight o'clock in the evening

The Senate adjourned.

No. 6

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Tuesday, 7th March, 1944

8 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Donnelly,	Lacasse,	Morand,
Aylesworth	Duff,	Lambert,	Paquet,
(Sir Allen),	Duffus,	Leger,	Paterson,
Ballantyne,	DuTremblay,	Lesage,	Quinn,
Beaubien	Euler,	Macdonald	Raymond,
(Montarville),	Fafard,	(Richmond-West	Riley,
Beauregard,	Farris,	Cape Breton),	Robicheau,
Black,	Foster,	Macdonald	Robinson,
Bouchard,	Gouin,	(Cardigan),	St. Père,
Bourque,	Green,	MacLennan,	Smith (Victoria-
Calder,	Griesbach,	Marcotte,	Carleton),
Campbell,	Hayden,	Marshall,	Stevenson,
Chapais	Horner,	McDonald	Sutherland,
(Sir Thomas),	Howard,	(Shediac),	Tanner,
Copp,	Hushion,	McGuire,	Vien,
Daigle,	Johnston,	McIntyre,	White,
David,	Jones,	Michener,	Wilson.
Davies,	King,	Molloy,	

PRAYERS.

The Honourable the Speaker presented to the Senate a Message from His Excellency the Governor General reading as follows:—

GOVERNMENT HOUSE

OTTAWA

23rd February, 1944.

The Honourable
The Members of the Senate:

I have received with great pleasure the Address that you have voted in reply to my Speech at the Opening of Parliament, and thank you for it sincerely.

ATHLONE.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk in the following words:—

MONDAY, 7th February, 1944.

Resolved,—That a Message be sent to the Senate to acquaint their Honours that this House agrees to their request for the return of the evidence taken before the Senate Committee on Divorce during the last Session of Parliament, upon which the following Bills were founded, viz:—

Bill No. 86 (Letter J-3 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of William Taffert."

Bill No. 131 (Letter W-4 of the Senate), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ruth Usher Garson."

Ordered,—That the Clerk of the House do carry the said Message to the Senate.

Attest.

ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE,
Clerk of the Commons.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that the Clerk had received certificates from the Honourable the Secretary of State of Canada showing that—

The Honourable Telesphore Damien Bouchard,
Armand Daigle, Esquire,
Joseph Arthur Lesage, Esquire, and—
Cyrille Vaillancourt, Esquire,

respectively, have been summoned to the Senate,

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that there were Senators without, waiting to be introduced.

The Honourable Telesphore Damien Bouchard, was introduced between the Honourable Senator King and the Honourable Senator Gouin, and having presented His Majesty's Writ of Summons, it was read by the Clerk, as follows:—

CANADA

ATHLONE
(L.S.)

GEORGE THE SIXTH, *by the Grace of God of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas* KING, *Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.*

To Our Trusty and Well-beloved the Honourable Telesphore Damien Bouchard, of the City of St. Hyacinthe, in the Province of Quebec.

GREETING:

Know you, that as well for the especial trust and confidence We have manifested in you, as for the purpose of obtaining your advice and assistance in all weighty and arduous affairs which may the State and Defence of Our Dominion of Canada concern, We have thought fit to summon you to the Senate of Our said Dominion; and We do appoint you for the Laurentides Electoral Division of Our Province of Quebec; and We do command you, that all difficulties and excuses whatsoever laying aside, you be and appear for the purposes aforesaid, in the Senate of Our said Dominion at all times whensoever and wheresoever Our Parliament may be in Our said Dominion convoked and holden; and this you are in no wise to omit.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed:—

WITNESS: Our Dear Uncle, Our Right Trusty and Right Well-beloved Cousin and Counsellor, Alexander Augustus Frederick George, Earl of Athlone, Knight of Our Most Noble Order of the Garter, a member of Our Most Honourable Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Grand Master of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Grand Cross of Our Royal Victorian Order, Companion of Our Distinguished Service Order, Colonel in Our Army (retired), having the honorary rank of Major-General, one of Our Personal Aides-de-Camp, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of Our Dominion of Canada.

AT OUR GOVERNMENT HOUSE, in Our City of Ottawa, in Our Dominion of Canada, this third day of March in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-four and in the eighth year of Our Reign.

By Command,

N. A. McLARTY,

Secretary of State of Canada.

Ordered, That the same be placed upon the Journals.

The Honourable Senator Bouchard came to the Table and took and subscribed the Oath prescribed by law, which was administered by the Clerk of the Senate, the Commissioner appointed for that purpose, and took his seat as a Member of the Senate.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that the Honourable Senator Bouchard had made and subscribed the Declaration of Qualification required of him by *The British North America Act, 1867*, in the presence of the Clerk of the Senate, the Commissioner appointed to receive and witness the same.

The Honourable Armand Daigle was introduced between the Honourable Senator King and the Honourable Senator Raymond, and having presented His Majesty's Writ of Summons, it was read by the Clerk, as follows:—

CANADA

ATHLONE

(L.S.)

GEORGE THE SIXTH, *by the Grace of God of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas* KING, *Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.*

To Our Trusty and Well-beloved Armand Daigle, of the City of Montreal, in the Province of Quebec, Esquire.

GREETING:

Know you, that as well for the especial trust and confidence We have manifested in you, as for the purpose of obtaining your advice and assistance in all weighty and arduous affairs which may the State and Defence of Our Dominion of Canada concern, We have thought fit to summon you to the Senate of our said Dominion; and We do appoint you for the Mille Isles Electoral Division of Our Province of Quebec; and We do command you, that all difficulties and excuses whatsoever laying aside, you be and appear for the purposes aforesaid, in the Senate of Our said Dominion at all times whensoever and wheresoever Our Parliament may be in Our said Dominion convoked and holden; and this you are in no wise to omit.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed:—

WITNESS: Our Dear Uncle, Our Right Trusty and Right Well-beloved Cousin and Counsellor, Alexander Augustus Frederick George, Earl of Athlone, Knight of Our Most Noble Order of the Garter, a member of Our Most Honourable Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Grand Master of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Grand Cross of Our Royal Victorian Order, Companion of Our Distinguished Service Order, Colonel in Our Army (retired), having the honorary rank of Major-General, one of Our Personal Aides-de-Camp, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of Our Dominion of Canada.

AT OUR GOVERNMENT HOUSE, in Our City of Ottawa, in Our Dominion of Canada, this third day of March in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-four and in the eighth year of Our Reign.

By Command,

N. A. McLARTY,

Secretary of State of Canada.

Ordered, That the same be placed upon the Journals.

The Honourable Senator Daigle came to the Table and took and subscribed the Oath prescribed by law, which was administered by the Clerk of the Senate, the Commissioner appointed for that purpose, and took his seat as a Member of the Senate.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that the Honourable Senator Daigle had made and subscribed the Declaration of Qualification required of him by *The British North America Act, 1867*, in the presence of the Clerk of the Senate, the Commissioner appointed to receive and witness the same.

The Honourable Joseph Arthur Lesage, was introduced between the Honourable Senator King and the Honourable Senator Fafard, and having presented His Majesty's Writ of Summons, it was read by the Clerk, as follows:—

CANADA

ATHLONE
(L.S.)

GEORGE THE SIXTH, *by the Grace of God of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas* KING, *Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.*

To Our Trusty and Well-beloved Joseph Arthur Lesage, of the City of Quebec, in the Province of Quebec, Esquire.

GREETING:

Know you, that as well for the especial trust and confidence We have manifested in you, as for the purpose of obtaining your advice and assistance in all weighty and arduous affairs which may the State and Defence of Our Dominion of Canada concern, We have thought fit to summon you to the Senate of Our said Dominion; and We do appoint you for the Gulf Electoral Division of Our Province of Quebec; and We do command you, that all difficulties and excuses whatsoever laying aside, you be and appear for the purposes aforesaid, in the Senate of Our said Dominion at all times whensoever and wheresoever Our Parliament may be in Our said Dominion convoked and holden; and this you are in no wise to omit.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed:—

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AT OUR GOVERNMENT HOUSE, in Our City of Ottawa, in Our Dominion of Canada, this third day of March in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-four and in the eighth year of Our Reign.

By Command,

N. A. McLARTY,

Secretary of State of Canada.

Ordered, That the same be placed upon the Journals.

The Honourable Senator Lesage came to the Table and took and subscribed the Oath prescribed by law, which was administered by the Clerk of the Senate, the Commissioner appointed for that purpose, and took his seat as a Member of the Senate.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that the Honourable Senator Lesage had made and subscribed the Declaration of Qualification required of him by *The British North America Act, 1867*, in the presence of the Clerk of the Senate, the Commissioner appointed to receive and witness the same.

The following petitions were presented:—

By the Honourable Senator Lambert:—

Of the Discount & Loan Corporation of Canada; praying for the passing of an Act to change its name to "Personal Finance Company of Canada."

Of Claude H. Peters, of White Bear Lake, State of Minnesota, U.S.A.; praying for the passing of an Act authorizing the Commissioner of Patents to consider and act upon a certain application for a patent, serial number 470,622, in respect of an invention entitled "Air Conditioning System".

By the Honourable Senator Farris:—

Of the Vancouver, Victoria & Eastern Railway & Navigation Company, the Nelson & Fort Sheppard Railway Company; and the Great Northern Railway Company, a company incorporated under the laws of the State of Minnesota, U.S.A.; praying for the passing of an Act authorizing the Vancouver, Victoria & Eastern Railway & Navigation Company and the Nelson & Fort Sheppard Railway Company to lease and/or sell their holdings and undertakings in the said Great Northern Railway Company, and that the latter company be granted the powers of a Dominion railway company.

On motion of the Honourable Senator Farris the said petition was read and received.

Of The Kettle Valley Railway Company; praying for the passing of an Act authorizing it to construct a line of railway from a point on its Osoyoos Subdivision at or near Haynes, thence southerly along the Okanagan River and shore of Osoyoos Lake, a distance of approximately ten (10) miles, to a point at or near Osoyoos, all in the Province of British Columbia.

By the Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce:

Of Frances Eleanor Coleman, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Albert Robert Ernest Coleman.

Of George Igaz, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Maria Racz Igaz.

Of Kathleen Edna Ellis Wainwright, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Thomas Bailey Wainwright.

Of Ruth Steinwold Lauer, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Max Lauer.

Of Marie Stella Gisele Payette MacRae, of Montreal, Quebec, office clerk; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with William MacRae.

Of Victoria May Larkin Kirkcaldy, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with James Howard Kirkcaldy.

Of William Cowie, of Montreal, Quebec, salesman; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Kathlyn Elaine Kelly Cowie.

Of Jessie Dickson Mackie Toy, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Kenneth Grand Toy.

Of Alice Robert Rajotte, of the town of Dorval, Quebec, praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Gustave Rajotte.

Of Elsie Hollingsworth, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Harold George Hollingsworth.

Of Henry Rattigan, of Verdun, Quebec, machine operator; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Mary Kathleen McCaffery Rattigan.

Of Ellen Margaret Doris Sheehan Decary, of Montreal, Quebec, secretary; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Amable Gerald Decary.

Of Barbara Smith Dodds, of Montreal, Quebec, sales clerk; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Lloyd Ellsworth Dodds.

Of John William Frank Draper, of the town of Cowansville, Quebec, insurance agent; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Genevieve Cisla Whittier Draper.

Of Florence Berger Bassin, of Outremont, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Edward Irving Bassin.

Of Gertie Shulman Friedman, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Jack Friedman.

Of Belle Bailey Leibovitch, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Harry Leibovitch.

Of Celia Zlatkes Azeff, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, and at present residing at the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Henry Azeff, of the said city of Montreal.

Of Eugene Charron, of Hull, Quebec, garage owner; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Rosanna Lavallee Charron.

Of Miriam Schwartz Silcoff, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Max Silcoff.

Of Joan Helen Gorham Glover, of the town of Ste. Agathe, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with John Ludlow Glover.

Of Margaret Millar Short, of the town of Montreal West, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Clarence John William Short.

Of James MacMillan McHale, of Montreal, Quebec, moulder's helper; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Annie Jane Stalgitis McHale.

Of William Taffert, of Montreal, Quebec, salesman; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Annie Gross Taffert, otherwise known as Amy Gross Taffert.

The following petition was read and received:—

Of Stanley William Blanchard and others of Ottawa, Ontario; praying to be incorporated under the name of "Wesleyan Methodist Church of America in Canada".

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their second Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 29th February, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their second Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Theodore Zalopany, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, window cleaner, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Natalia Karp Zalopany, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,

Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their third Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 29th February, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their third Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Thelma Alice Warren Whittet, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Ormond Leslie Mason Whittet, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,

Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their fourth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 29th February, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their fourth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Ethel Sangster Muir, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, can press operator, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with John Muir, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,

Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their fifth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 29th February, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their fifth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Kiril John Christo, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, machine operator, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Vasilika L. Godochi Christo, otherwise known as Celia Godochi Christo, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their sixth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 29th February, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their sixth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Helaine Ethel Leopold Lax, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, secretary, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Samuel Julius Lax, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their seventh Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 29th February, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their seventh Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Cecil Benjamin Pomeroy, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, electrician, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Hazel Alice Pomeroy, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their eighth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 29th February, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their eighth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Pinnie Rosenhek Leopold, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, stenographer, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Henry Leslie Leopold, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their ninth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 1st March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their ninth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Paul Sanson White, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, assistant to President of Aluminum Company of Canada, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Beryl Brintnell White, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their tenth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 1st March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their tenth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Mary Hope Beers Ross, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, switchboard operator, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Herbert Percival Alvin Ross, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their eleventh Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 1st March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their eleventh Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Wasyl Usypchuk, otherwise known as William Usypchuk, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, railway employee, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Ladislave Czyzewska Usypchuk, otherwise known as Virginia Chesesky Usypchuk, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their twelfth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 1st March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their twelfth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Walter Stanley Spencer, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, checker, Canadian National Express Com-

pany, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Lucy Mae Kington Spencer, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their thirteenth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 1st March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their thirteenth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Emma Gertrude Groves Morris, of the town of Springfield Park, in the county of Chambly, Quebec, laundry checker, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with George Morris, junior, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their fourteenth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 1st March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their fourteenth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Gertrude Margaret Amy Ogilvie, of the city of Westmount, in the province of Quebec, automobile driver, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Lorne Frederick Wilson Ogilvie, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their fifteenth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 1st March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their fifteenth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Myrtle Josephine Teel Odell, of the town of Waterloo, in the province of Quebec, farmerette, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Clifford Alexander Odell, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,

Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their sixteenth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 2nd March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their sixteenth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Marjorie Helen Parker Leduc, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Joseph Pierre Henri Leduc, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,

Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their seventeenth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 2nd March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their seventeenth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Margaret Derry Kirby, of the village of St. Jovite, in the county of Terrebonne, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Alfred Kirby, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their eighteenth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 2nd March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their eighteenth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of George Thomas Bragger, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, steelworker, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Dorothy Richardson Bragger, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their nineteenth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 2nd March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their nineteenth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Freda Watson Norman Daniels, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, stenographer, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Thomas Basil Hasard Daniels, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, subject to payment of \$150.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their twentieth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 2nd March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their twentieth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Iris Mabel Dash Wilkinson, of the town of Valois, in the province of Quebec, office clerk, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Harry Wilkinson, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their twenty-first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 2nd March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their twenty-first Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Joseph Ulric Edouard Burns, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, motorman, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Marie Angelina Graziella Ducasse Burns, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their twenty-second Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 3rd March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their twenty-second Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Thomas Henry Dwyer, of the city of Verdun, in the province of Quebec, clerk, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Mary Hughes Dwyer, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their twenty-third Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 3rd March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their twenty-third Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Elsie Margaret Ormandy Henderson, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with James Gray Henderson, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their twenty-fourth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 3rd March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their twenty-fourth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Arthur Charles Duffy, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, teletype operator, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Grace Winifred Hockley Duffy, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their twenty-fifth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 3rd March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their twenty-fifth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Kathleen Edna Ellis Wainwright, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Thomas Bailey Wainwright, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their twenty-sixth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 3rd March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their twenty-sixth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Diana Lenore Carsley Tenenhouse, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, sales clerk, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Moses Tenenhouse, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, subject to payment of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable Senator King laid on the Table:—

Report of the Public Archives for the year 1943 (English and French editions).

Copy of an Exchange of Notes between Canada and the United States recording an Agreement for the preservation and protection of fur seals of the Bering Sea and the North Pacific Ocean, Treaty Series 1942, No. 25. (English and French.)

Copy of an Exchange of Notes between Canada and the United States recording an Agreement on the construction of flight air strips along the Alaska Highway, Treaty Series 1942, No. 26. (English and French.)

Copy of the Second Report of the Unemployment Insurance Commission for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1943. (English and French editions.)

Report of the Secretary of State of Canada for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1943. (French edition.)

Copy of the Third Report of the Unemployment Insurance Advisory Committee on the financial condition of the Unemployment Insurance fund as at the 31st December, 1943.

Copy of regulations made and approved under the Unemployment Insurance Act, 1940, for the period 2nd April, 1943, to 2nd February, 1944.

Typewritten copy of the Report of the Civil Service Commission for the calendar year 1943 on positions excluded from the operation of the Civil Service Act.

Report of work performed and expenditures made as of 31st December, 1943, together with the estimated expenditures for 1944, under authority of Chapter 12, Statutes of Canada 1929, construction by Canadian National Railways of certain terminal facilities with grade separation and other works at and in the vicinity of the City of Montreal.

Naval Orders 3380-3400, dated 5th February, 1944.

Naval Orders 3401-3415, dated 12th February, 1944.

Naval Orders 3416-3434, dated 19th February, 1944.

Naval Orders 3435-3450, dated 26th February, 1944.

Copy of the Thirty-ninth Report of the Board of Transport Commissioners of Canada for the year ended 31st December, 1943.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 7

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Wednesday, 8th March, 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Duffus,	Leger,	Paquet,
Aylesworth	DuTremblay,	Lesage,	Paterson,
(Sir Allen),	Euler,	Macdonald	Quinn,
Ballantyne,	Fafard,	(Richmond-West	Raymond,
Beaubien	Farris,	Cape Breton),	Riley,
(Montarville),	Foster,	Macdonald	Robicheau,
Beauregard,	Gouin,	(Cardigan),	Robinson,
Bouchard,	Green,	MacLennan,	St. Père,
Bourque,	Griesbach,	Marcotte,	Sinclair,
Calder,	Hayden,	Marshall,	Smith (Victoria-
Campbell,	Horner,	McDonald	Carleton),
Chapais	Howard,	(Shediac),	Stevenson,
(Sir Thomas),	Hushion,	McGuire,	Sutherland,
Copp,	Johnston,	McIntyre,	Tanner,
Daigle,	Jones,	Michener,	Vaillancourt,
Davies,	King,	Molloy,	Vien,
Donnelly,	Lacasse,	Moraud,	White,
Duff,	Lambert,	Murdock,	Wilson.

PRAYERS.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that there was a Senator without, waiting to be introduced.

The Honourable Cyrille Vaillancourt was introduced between the Honourable Senator King and the Honourable Senator Fafard, and having presented His Majesty's Writ of Summons, it was read by the Clerk, as follows:—

CANADA

ATHLONE
(L.S.)

GEORGE THE SIXTH, *by the Grace of God of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas* KING, *Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.*

To Our Trusty and Well-beloved Cyrille Vaillancourt, of the City of Levis, in the Province of Quebec, Esquire.

GREETING:

Know you, that as well for the especial trust and confidence We have manifested in you, as for the purpose of obtaining your advice and assistance in all weighty and arduous affairs which may the State and Defence of Our Dominion of Canada concern, We have thought fit to summon you to the Senate of Our said Dominion; and We do appoint you for the Kennebec Electoral Division of Our Province of Quebec; and We do command you, that all difficulties and excuses whatsoever laying aside, you be and appear for the purposes aforesaid, in the Senate of Our said Dominion at all times whensoever and wheresoever Our Parliament may be in Our said Dominion convoked and holden; and this you are in no wise to omit.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed:—

WITNESS: Our Dear Uncle, Our Right Trusty and Right Well-beloved Cousin and Counsellor, Alexander Augustus Frederick George, Earl of Athlone, Knight of Our Most Noble Order of the Garter, a member of Our Most Honourable Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Grand Master of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Grand Cross of Our Royal Victorian Order, Companion of Our Distinguished Service Order, Colonel in Our Army (retired), having the honorary rank of Major-General, one of Our Personal Aides-de-Camp, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of Our Dominion of Canada.

AT OUR GOVERNMENT HOUSE, in Our City of Ottawa, in Our Dominion of Canada, this third day of March in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-four and in the eighth year of Our Reign.

By Command,

N. A. McLARTY,
Secretary of State of Canada.

Ordered, That the same be placed upon the Journals.

The Honourable Senator Vaillancourt came to the Table and took and subscribed the Oath prescribed by law, which was administered by the Clerk of the Senate, the Commissioner appointed for that purpose, and took his seat as a Member of the Senate.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that the Honourable Senator Vaillancourt had made and subscribed the Declaration of Qualification required of him by *The British North America Act, 1867*, in the presence of the Clerk of the Senate, the Commissioner appointed to receive and witness the same.

The following petitions were severally presented:—

By the Honourable Senator Foster:—

Of Kenneth Colin Irving and others of Saint John, New Brunswick; praying to be incorporated under the name of "Fundy Air Lines".

By the Honourable the Chairman of the Committee on Divorce:—

Of Harold A. Jelly, of the village of O'Leary, in the county of Prince, Prince Edward Island, merchant; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Winnie Agnes Silliker Jelly.

Of James Russell Popham, of Senneville, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Janet Ruth Sherer Popham.

Of Hulda Van Koughnet Lynch-Staunton, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Victor Martyn Lynch-Staunton.

Of Louis Joseph Jules Laurencelle, of Montreal, Quebec, merchant; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Marie Blanche Ouellette Laurencelle.

Of Frederick Richard Channon, of Verdun, Quebec, foreman; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Ida May Sprules Channon.

Of William McKenzie White, of Montreal, Quebec, manager; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Agnes White.

Of Leon LeBrun, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Annette Laporte LeBrun.

The Honourable Senator Murdock from the Standing Committee on Immigration and Labour, presented their first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 3rd February, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Immigration and Labour beg leave to make their first Report, as follows:—

Your Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to three (3) Members.

All which is respectfully submitted.

JAMES MURDOCK,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator White from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their second Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 8th March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg leave to make their second Report, as follows:—

The Committee recommend:—

(1) That the time limited for receiving petitions for Private Bills be extended to Friday, the 21st April, 1944.

(2) That the time limited for presenting Private Bills be extended to Friday, the 5th May, 1944.

(3) That the time limited for receiving Reports of any Standing or Special Committee on a Private Bill be extended to Friday, the 26th May, 1944.

All which is respectfully submitted.

GERALD V. WHITE,
Acting Chairman.

With leave of the Senate.

The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator White from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their third Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 8th March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg leave to make their third Report, as follows:—

Your Committee have examined the following petitions and find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects:—

Of The North American Baptist General Missionary Society, Inc., of the State of New York, U.S.A., the parent society of The General Missionary Society of the German Baptist Churches of North America, incorporated by chapter 88 of the statutes of Canada, 1922; praying for the passing of an Act changing the name of the latter society to "The North American Baptist General Missionary Society."

Of The New Brunswick Railway Company; praying for the passing of an Act authorizing it to reduce its capital.

Of Gore District Mutual Fire Insurance Company; praying for the passing of an Act extending the classes of insurance for which it may make contracts.

Of Stanley William Blanchard and others of Ottawa, Ontario; praying to be incorporated under the name of "Wesleyan Methodist Church of America in Canada."

All which is respectfully submitted.

GERALD V. WHITE,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Honourable Senator White from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their fourth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 8th March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg leave to make their fourth Report, as follows:—

1. Your Committee have in obedience to the order of reference of February 2, 1944, considered the petition of Sophie Kohen, of Toronto, Ontario; praying that a Royal Commission be appointed to investigate alleged grievances; that certain public Acts be amended, and that a new trial in the courts be granted her.

2. Your Committee find that the allegations contained in the petition are vague and indefinite, and recommend that the petition in its present form be not received.

All which is respectfully submitted.

GERALD V. WHITE,
Acting Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator White from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their fifth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 8th March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg leave to make their fifth Report, as follows:—

Your Committee have examined the following petition and find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects:—

Of Vancouver, Victoria & Eastern Railway & Navigation Company, the Nelson & Fort Sheppard Railway Company; and the Great Northern Railway Company, a company incorporated under the laws of the State of Minnesota, U.S.A.; praying for the passing of an Act authorizing the Vancouver, Victoria & Eastern Railway & Navigation Company and the Nelson & Fort Sheppard Railway Company to lease and/or sell their holdings and undertakings to the said Great Northern Railway Company, and that the latter company be granted the powers of a Dominion railway company.

All which is respectfully submitted.

GERALD V. WHITE,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Honourable Senator Farris presented to the Senate a Bill (B), intituled: "An Act respecting Vancouver, Victoria and Eastern Railway and Navigation Company, The Nelson and Fort Sheppard Railway Company and Great Northern Railway Company."

The said Bill was read the first time.

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

The Honourable Senator Hayden presented to the Senate a Bill (C), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Wesleyan Methodist Church of America in Canada."

The said Bill was read the first time.

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

The Honourable Senator Robinson presented to the Senate a Bill (D), intituled: "An Act respecting The New Brunswick Railway Company."

The said Bill was read the first time.

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

The Honourable Senator Euler presented to the Senate a Bill (E), intituled: "An Act respecting Gore District Mutual Fire Insurance Company."

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

On motion of the Honourable Senator King, it was—

Ordered, That the Standing Committee on Finance be authorized to examine expenditures proposed by the estimates laid before Parliament, and by Resolutions relating to war and other proposed financial measures of which notice has been given to Parliament, in advance of the Bills based on the said estimates and Resolutions reaching the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the second to the twenty-sixth Reports of the Standing Committee on Divorce, both inclusive.

The said Reports were, on division adopted.

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce presented to the Senate the following Bills:—

Bill (F), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Theodore Zalopany."

Bill (G), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Thelma Alice Warren Whittet."

Bill (H), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ethel Sangster Muir."

Bill (I), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Kiril John Christo."

Bill (J), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Helaine Ethel Leopold Lax."

Bill (K), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Cecil Benjamin Pomeroy."

Bill (L), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Pinnie Rosenhek Leopold."

Bill (M), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Paul Sanson White."

Bill (N), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mary Hope Beers Ross."

Bill (O), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Wasyl Usypchuk, otherwise known as William Usypchuk."

Bill (P), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Walter Stanley Spencer."

Bill (Q), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Emma Gertrude Groves Morris."

Bill (R), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Gertrude Margaret Amy Ogilvie."

Bill (S), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Myrtle Josephine Teel Odell."

Bill (T), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Marjorie Helen Parker Leduc."

Bill (U), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Margaret Derry Kirby."

Bill (V), intituled: "An Act for the relief of George Thomas Bragger."

Bill (W), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Freda Watson Norman Daniels."

Bill (X), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Iris Mabel Dash Wilkinson."

Bill (Y), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Joseph Ulric Edouard Burns."

Bill (Z), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Thomas Henry Dwyer."

Bill (A-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Elsie Margaret Ormandy Henderson."

Bill (B-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Arthur Charles Duffy."

Bill (C-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Kathleen Edna Ellis Wainwright."

Bill (D-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Diana Lenore Carsley Tenenhouse."

The said Bills were, on division, severally read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That they be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 8

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Thursday, 9th March, 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Duffus,	Leger,	Paquet,
Aylesworth	DuTremblay,	Lesage,	Paterson,
(Sir Allen),	Euler,	Macdonald	Quinn,
Ballantyne,	Fafard,	(Richmond-West	Riley,
Beaubien	Farris,	Cape Breton),	Robertson,
(Montarville),	Foster,	Macdonald	Robicheau,
Beauregard,	Green,	(Cardigan),	Robinson,
Black,	Griesbach,	MacLennan,	St. Père,
Bouchard,	Harmer,	Marcotte,	Sinclair,
Bourque,	Horner,	Marshall,	Smith (Victoria-
Calder,	Howard,	McDonald	Carleton),
Campbell,	Hushion,	(Shediac),	Stevenson,
Copp,	Johnston,	McGuire,	Sutherland,
Daigle,	Jones,	McIntyre,	Tanner,
David,	King,	Michener,	Vaillancourt,
Davies,	Lacasse,	Molloy,	Vien,
Donnelly,	Lambert,	Murdock,	White,
Duff,			Wilson.

PRAYERS.

The following petitions were severally read and received:—

Of The Kettle Valley Railway Company; praying for the passing of an Act authorizing it to construct a line of railway from a point on its Osoyoos Subdivision at or near Haynes, thence southerly along the Okanagan River and shore of Osoyoos Lake, a distance of approximately ten (10) miles, to a point at or near Osoyoos, all in the Province of British Columbia.

Of Claude H. Peters, of White Bear Lake, State of Minnesota, U.S.A.; praying for the passing of an Act authorizing the Commissioner of Patents to consider and act upon a certain application for a patent, serial number 470,622, in respect of an invention entitled "Air Conditioning System".

Of The Discount & Loan Corporation of Canada; praying for the passing of an Act to change its name to "Personal Finance Company of Canada".

The Honourable Senator Farris called the attention of the Senate to the conventions of the constitution under Canada's parliamentary system of responsible government with particular reference to the established custom of the Leader of the Opposition having a seat in either house of Parliament, and also called attention to the fact that the Leader of the Progressive Conservative party, now the official opposition, had made no effort since his selection as Leader to secure a seat in Parliament, but on the contrary, was conducting an active political campaign divorced from any parliamentary duties or responsibilities, and submitted for the consideration of Honourable Senators that this procedure was a departure from the best constitutional procedure, and was subversive of parliamentary government, and not in the public interest.

Debated.

On motion of the Honourable Senator King, it was—

Ordered, That Rule 78 of the Rules of the Senate be amended by striking out paragraph 17 and substituting therefor the following:—

"17. The Committee on Finance composed of thirty-five Senators."

On motion of the Honourable Senator King, it was—

Ordered, That the following Senators be added to the list of Senators serving on the Standing Committee on Finance, namely the Honourable Senators Beaubien (Montarville), Bouchard, Calder, Haig, Johnston, Lambert, Leger, Robinson, Sinclair and Vaillancourt.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (E), intituled: "An Act respecting Gore District Mutual Fire Insurance Company," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Bills were, on division, severally read the second time:—

Bill (F), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Theodore Zalopany."

Bill (G), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Thelma Alice Warren Whittet."

Bill (H), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ethel Sangster Muir."

- Bill (I), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Kiril John Christo."
Bill (J), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Helaine Ethel Leopold Lax."
Bill (K), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Cecil Benjamin Pomeroy."
Bill (L), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Pinnie Rosenhek Leopold."
Bill (M), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Paul Sanson White."
Bill (N), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mary Hope Beers Ross."
Bill (O), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Wasyl Usypchuk, otherwise known as William Usypchuk."
Bill (P), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Walter Stanley Spencer."
Bill (Q), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Emma Gertrude Groves Morris."
Bill (R), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Gertrude Margaret Amy Ogilvie."
Bill (S), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Myrtle Josephine Teel Odell."
Bill (T), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Marjorie Helen Parker Leduc."
Bill (U), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Margaret Derry Kirby."
Bill (V), intituled: "An Act for the relief of George Thomas Bragger."
Bill (W), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Freda Watson Norman Daniels."
Bill (X), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Iris Mabel Dash Wilkinson."
Bill (Y), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Joseph Ulric Edouard Burns."
Bill (Z), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Thomas Henry Dwyer."
Bill (A-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Elsie Margaret Ormandy Henderson."
Bill (B-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Arthur Charles Duffy."
Bill (C-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Kathleen Edna Ellis Wainwright."
Bill (D-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Diana Lenore Carsley Tenenhouse."

Ordered, That the said Bills be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 9

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Friday, 10th March, 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Foster,	Macdonald	Robicheau,
Aylesworth	Green,	(Cardigan),	Robinson,
(Sir Allen),	Griesbach,	MacLennan,	St. Père,
Ballantyne,	Harmer,	Marcotte,	Sinclair,
Beauregard,	Horner,	Marshall,	Smith (Victoria-
Black,	Howard,	McGuire,	Carleton),
Bourque,	Hushion,	McIntyre,	Stevenson,
Calder,	Johnston,	Michener,	Sutherland,
Campbell,	King,	Molloy,	Tanner,
Copp,	Lacasse,	Murdock,	Vaillancourt,
Davies,	Lambert,	Paquet,	Vien,
Donnelly,	Leger,	Paterson,	White,
Duffus,	Macdonald	Quinn,	Wilson.
Fafard,	(Richmond-West	Riley,	
Farris,	Cape Breton),	Robertson,	

PRAYERS.

The following petition was read and received:—

Of Kenneth Colin Irving and others of Saint John, New Brunswick; praying to be incorporated under the name of "Fundy Air Lines".

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their twenty-seventh Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 7th March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their twenty-seventh Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Charlotte Muriel Wright, of the village of Low, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Robert Douglas Wright the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their twenty-eighth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 7th March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their twenty-eighth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Sarah Carmichael Hay Johnston, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, dietitian, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Stanley Blount Johnston, junior, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their twenty-ninth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 7th March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their twenty-ninth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Margaret Georgina Isabel Townsend Mansfield, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Roy William Mansfield, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, subject to payment of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,

Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their thirtieth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 7th March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their thirtieth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Pasquale Di Guglielmo, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, machine operator, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Lucette Monette Di Guglielmo, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, subject to payment of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,

Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their thirty-first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 7th March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their thirty-first Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Theodora B. Ostlund Fruitier, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, modiste, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Louis Douglas Fruitier, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,

Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their thirty-second Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 8th March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their thirty-second Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Erna Warthold Langlois, of the city of Outremont, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Alexandre Langlois, junior, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,

Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their thirty-third Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 8th March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their thirty-third Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Ruth Steinwold Lauer, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, cashier, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Max Lauer, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their thirty-fourth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 8th March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their thirty-fourth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of George Hodgson Fisher, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, office clerk, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Jane Rollit Grece Fisher, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their thirty-fifth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 8th March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their thirty-fifth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Molly Gurevitch Gladman, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Albert Gladman, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, subject to payment of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their thirty-sixth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 8th March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their thirty-sixth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Goldie Anker Lazanik, of the City of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, sales clerk, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Philip Lazanik, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, subject to payment of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. M. ASELTINE,

Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable Senator Robinson moved that it be—

Resolved,—That in the opinion of the Senate it is desirable that the Dominion Government should cause a thorough investigation to be made by a firm of eminent Hydro Electric engineers into the possibilities of developing tidal power at the confluence of the Petitcodiac and Memramcook Rivers in the Province of New Brunswick.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate on the said motion be adjourned until the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable Senator King laid on the Table:—

Copy of Reference by the Canadian Government to the International Joint Commission concerning the development of the water resources of the Columbia River System, dated Ottawa, 9th March, 1944. (English and French.)

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Bills were, on division severally read the third time:—

Bill (F), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Theodore Zalopany."

Bill (G), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Thelma Alice Warren Whittet."

Bill (H), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ethel Sangster Muir."

Bill (I), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Kiril John Christo."

Bill (J), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Helaine Ethel Leopold Lax."

Bill (K), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Cecil Benjamin Pomeroy."

Bill (L), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Pinnie Rosenhek Leopold."

Bill (M), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Paul Sanson White."

Bill (N), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mary Hope Beers Ross."

Bill (O), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Wasyl Usypchuk, otherwise known as William Usypchuk."

Bill (P), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Walter Stanley Spencer."

Bill (Q), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Emma Gertrude Groves Morris."

Bill (R), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Gertrude Margaret Amy Ogilvie."

Bill (S), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Myrtle Josephine Teel Odell."

Bill (T), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Marjorie Helen Parker Leduc."

Bill (U), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Margaret Derry Kirby."

Bill (V), intituled: "An Act for the relief of George Thomas Bragger."

Bill (W), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Freda Watson Norman Daniels."

Bill (X), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Iris Mabel Dash Wilkinson."

Bill (Y), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Joseph Ulric Edouard Burns."

Bill (Z), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Thomas Henry Dwyer."

Bill (A-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Elsie Margaret Ormandy Henderson."

Bill (B-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Arthur Charles Duffy."

Bill (C-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Kathleen Edna Ellis Wainwright."

Bill (D-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Diana Lenore Carsley Tenenhouse."

The question was put whether these Bills shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed these Bills, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence taken before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (B), intituled: "An Act respecting Vancouver, Victoria and Eastern Railway and Navigation Company, The Nelson and Fort Sheppard Railway Company and Great Northern Railway Company," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (C), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Wesleyan Methodist Church of America in Canada," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (D), intituled: "An Act respecting The New Brunswick Railway Company," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion of the Honourable Senator King, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday, the twenty-first day of March, at eight o'clock in the evening.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 10

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Tuesday, 21st March, 1944

8 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Donnelly,	Lacasse,	Molloy,
Aylesworth	Duffus,	Lambert,	Morand,
(Sir Allen),	DuTremblay,	Leger,	Murdock,
Ballantyne,	Euler,	Lesage,	Paquet,
Beaubien	Fafard,	Macdonald	Paterson,
(Montarville),	Fallis,	(Richmond-West	Quinn,
Beaubien (St. Jean	Foster,	Cape Breton),	Riley,
Baptiste),	Gouin,	Macdonald	Robertson,
Beauregard,	Green,	(Cardigan),	Robicheau,
Bench,	Griesbach,	MacLennan,	Robinson,
Black,	Haig,	Marcotte,	St. Père,
Bouchard,	Harmer,	Marshall,	Sinclair,
Buchanan,	Horner,	McDonald	Smith (Victoria-
Calder,	Howard,	(Shediac),	Carleton),
Campbell,	Hushion,	McGuire,	Stevenson,
Chapais	Johnston,	McIntyre,	Tanner,
(Sir Thomas),	Jones,	McRae,	Vien.
Copp,	King,	Michener,	

PRAYERS.

The following petitions were severally presented:—

By the Honourable the Chairman of the Committee on Divorce:—

Of Vernon Ross Aiken, of the village of Glen Sutton, Quebec, farmer; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Louision Eliza St. Francis Aiken.

Of Sam Sokoloff, of the town of McMasterville, Quebec, merchant; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Maria Mona Taran Sokoloff.

Of Norma Segal Katz, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Israel Katz.

Of Walter Stanley Spencer, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for refund of the Parliamentary fees paid upon his petition for a Bill of Divorce.

Of Angele Pauline Edgar Marie Lambert Choux, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Charles Alfred Eloi Wilfrid Choux.

Of Paul Bégin, of Montreal, Quebec, jobber; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Yvette Perusse Bégin.

Of Ernest Charles Hazard, of Westmount, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Annie Armstrong Hazard.

Of Ivan Walter Moore, of Montreal, Quebec, aviator; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Claire Mary French Moore.

By the Honourable Senator Haig:—

Of Michael Hawryliuk and others of Winnipeg, Manitoba; praying to be incorporated under the name of "Workers Benevolent Association of Canada."

Of Otto Eklund, of Meeting Creek, Alberta, and others of elsewhere; praying to be incorporated under the name of "The Executive Board of The Evangelical Lutheran Augustana Synod of North America."

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their thirty-seventh Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 9th March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their thirty-seventh Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Julia Menard Mills, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, rivetter, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Kenneth Mills, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, subject to payment of \$75.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their thirty-eighth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 9th March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their thirty-eighth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Vera Esteri Seppala Vuorimies, of the city of New York, in the state of New York, one of the United States of America, domestic servant, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Vaino Walter Vuorimies, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, subject to payment of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their thirty-ninth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 9th March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their thirty-ninth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Violet Magdalen Johnson Overall, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, stenographer, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Arthur William Overall, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, subject to payment of \$75.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their fortieth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 9th March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their fortieth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Adélard Bélanger, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, salesman, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Rose Anna Robidoux Bélanger, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,

Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their forty-first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 10th March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their forty-first Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Edna Lyall Burgess Lambert, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, typist, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Rene Abel Augustin Ghislain Lambert, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,

Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their forty-second Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 10th March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their forty-second Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Barbara Hellen Smith Dodds, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, sales clerk, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Lloyd Ellsworth Dodds, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their forty-third Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 10th March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their forty-third Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Ellen Margaret Doris Sheehan Decary, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, stenographer, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Amable Gerald Decary, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their forty-fourth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 10th March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their forty-fourth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Kathleen O'Raw Major, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Frederick Arthur Major, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their forty-fifth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 10th March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their forty-fifth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Vernon Oswald Marquez, of the village of Vaudreuil, in the province of Quebec, production engineer, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Marjorie Dufew Marquez, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable Senator King laid on the Table:—

Copies of Agreements between Canada and the United Kingdom on the principles applying to the provision by Canada of Canadian war supplies to the United Kingdom under the War Appropriation (United Nations Mutual Aid) Act of Canada 1943, signed at Ottawa, 11th February, 1944. Treaty Series, 1944/3 (English and French).

Copies of Agreement between Canada and the Soviet Union on the principles applying to the provision by Canada of Canadian war supplies to the Soviet Union under the War Appropriation (United Nations Mutual Aid) Act of Canada 1943, signed at Ottawa, 11th February, 1944. Treaty Series, 1944/4 (English and French).

Copies of Agreement between Canada and the Commonwealth of Australia on the principles applying to the provision by Canada of Canadian war supplies to the Commonwealth of Australia under the War Appropriation (United Nations Mutual Aid) Act of Canada, 1943, signed at Ottawa, 9th March, 1944. Treaty Series, 1944/5 (English and French).

Report of Trans-Canada Air Lines for the year ended 31st December, 1943. (English and French editions.)

Report of the Canadian National Railway System for the year ended 31st December, 1943. (English and French editions.)

Report of the Canadian National Railways Securities Trust for the year ended 31st December, 1943. (English and French editions.)

Report of Canadian National (West Indies) Steamships, Limited, for the year ended 31st December, 1943. (English and French editions.)

Report of the Department of Labour for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1943.

Naval Orders 3451-3458 dated 4th March, 1944.

Copy of regulations made under the Department of Pensions and National Health Act by Order in Council of the 4th March, 1944 (P.C. 421). (English and French).

Copies of an Exchange of Notes between Canada and the United States of America renewing Canada's permission to Pan American Airways Incorporated to fly over Canada between Juneau (Alaska) and Seattle (Washington), dated at Ottawa, 12th June, 1943, 26th January and 21st February, 1944. Treaty Series 1944/2. (English and French.)

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the twenty-seventh to the thirty-sixth Reports of the Standing Committee on Divorce, both inclusive.

The said Reports were, on division, adopted.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (C), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Wesleyan Methodist Church of America in Canada," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator Robinson that it be—

Resolved,—That in the opinion of the Senate it is desirable that the Dominion Government should cause a thorough investigation to be made by a firm of eminent Hydro Electric engineers into the possibilities of developing tidal power at the confluence of the Petitcodiac and Memramcook Rivers in the Province of New Brunswick.

After further debate, and—

On motion of the Honourable Senator Robinson—

The said motion was referred to the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours.

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce presented to the Senate the following Bills:—

Bill (E-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Charlotte Muriel Wright."

Bill (F-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Sarah Carmichael Hay Johnston."

Bill (G-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Margaret Georgina Isabel Townsend Mansfield."

Bill (H-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Pasquale Di Guglielmo."

Bill (I-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Theodore B. Ostlund Fruitier."

Bill (J-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Erna Warthold Langlois."

Bill (K-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ruth Steinwold Lauer."

Bill (L-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of George Hodgson Fisher."

Bill (M-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Molly Gurevitch Gladman."

Bill (N-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Goldie Anker Lazanik."

The said Bills were, on division, severally read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That they be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 11

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Wednesday, 22nd March 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Donnelly,	King,	Moraud,
Aylesworth	Duffus,	Lambert,	Murdock,
(Sir Allen),	DuTremblay,	Leger,	Paquet,
Ballantyne,	Euler,	Lesage,	Paterson,
Beaubien	Fafard,	Macdonald	Quinn,
(Montarville),	Fallis,	(Richmond-West	Riley,
Beaubien (St. Jean	Foster,	Cape Breton),	Robertson,
Baptiste),	Gouin,	Macdonald	Robicheau,
Beauregard,	Green,	(Cardigan),	Robinson,
Bench,	Griesbach,	MacLennan,	St. Père,
Black,	Haig,	Marcotte,	Sinclair,
Bourque,	Hardy,	McDonald	Smith (Victoria-
Buchanan,	Harmer,	(Shediac),	Carleton),
Calder,	Horner,	McGuire,	Stevenson,
Campbell,	Howard,	McIntyre,	Tanner,
Chapais	Hushion,	McRae,	Vaillancourt,
(Sir Thomas),	Johnston,	Michener,	Vien,
Copp,	Jones,	Molloy,	White,
			Wilson.

PRAYERS.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their forty-sixth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 21st March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their forty-sixth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Wilson Allan Martin, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, claims agent, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Olive Bernice Pelletier Martin, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their forty-seventh Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 21st March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their forty-seventh Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Victoria May Larkin Kirkcaldy, of the city of Verdun, in the province of Quebec, inspector, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with James Howard Kirkcaldy, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, subject to payment of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their forty-eighth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 21st March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their forty-eighth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Nellie Blinkhorn Cowie, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, factory employee, for an Act to dissolve her

marriage with Robert Cowie, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their forty-ninth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 21st March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their forty-ninth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of William Mace, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, stoker, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Gladys Lillian Mace, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, subject to payment of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their fiftieth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 21st March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their fiftieth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Pauline Hislop Ralph, of the city of Outremont, in the province of Quebec, saleswoman, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Nathan Ralph, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, subject to payment of \$75.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their fifty-first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 21st March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their fifty-first Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Ethel Mary Moffatt Shaw, of the city of Outremont, in the province of Quebec, clerk-stenographer, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Fred Shaw, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, subject to payment of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,

Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their fifty-second Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 21st March, 1944

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their fifty-second Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Walter Stanley Spencer, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for refund of the Parliamentary fees paid upon his petition for a Bill of divorce.

2. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees paid under Rule 140 be refunded to the petitioner less the sum of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,

Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable Senator Buchanan from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their sixth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 22nd March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg leave to make their sixth Report, as follows:—

Your Committee have examined the following petitions and find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects:—

Of The Discount & Loan Corporation of Canada; praying for the passing of an Act to change its name to "Personal Finance Company of Canada".

Of Claude H. Peters, of White Bear Lake, State of Minnesota, U.S.A.; praying for the passing of an Act authorizing the Commissioner of Patents to consider and act upon a certain application for a patent, serial number 470,622, in respect of an invention entitled "Air Conditioning System".

Of The Kettle Valley Railway Company; praying for the passing of an Act authorizing it to construct a line of railway from a point on its Osoyoos Subdivision at or near Haynes, thence southerly along the Okanagan River and shore of Osoyoos Lake, a distance of approximately ten (10) miles, to a point at or near Osoyoos, all in the province of British Columbia.

Of Kenneth Colin Irving and others of Saint John, New Brunswick; praying to be incorporated under the name of "Fundy Air Lines".

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. A. BUCHANAN,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Honourable Senator Copp from the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours, to whom was referred the Bill (D), intituled: "An Act respecting The New Brunswick Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honourable Senator Black from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (E), intituled: "An Act respecting Gore District Mutual Fire Insurance Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honourable Senator Lambert presented to the Senate a Bill (O-2), intituled: "An Act to change the name of The Discount & Loan Corporation of Canada to Personal Finance Company of Canada."

The said Bill was read the first time.

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

The Honourable Senator Lambert presented to the Senate a Bill (P-2), intituled: "An Act respecting a certain patent application of Claude H. Peters".

The said Bill was read the first time.

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

The Honourable Senator Howard, for the Honourable Senator Farris, presented to the Senate a Bill (Q-2), intituled: "An Act respecting The Kettle Valley Railway Company".

The said Bill was read the first time.

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

The Honourable Senator Foster presented to the Senate a Bill (R-2), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Fundy Air Lines."

The said Bill was read the first time.

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

The Honourable Senator Beauregard moved—

That it is expedient that this House should get ready without delay to study the legislation which will be brought before it—constructive or remedial legislation—intended to safeguard, immediately after the termination of war production, the economic life in each of the Provinces of the country; and for this purpose to constitute among its members a committee of economic studies, as representative as possible, which would be empowered to investigate the normal production in each Province, the standard of living, the employment capacities, the conditions of labour, the openings, and, for this purpose, to invite and hear representatives from farmers, labourers, transport companies, the industrial and commercial world concerning their preparation and their concrete projects for the post-war.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate on the said motion be adjourned until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of Bill (C), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Wesleyan Methodist Church of America in Canada". it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Bills were, on division, severally read the second time:—

Bill (E-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Charlotte Muriel Wright".

Bill (F-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Sarah Carmichael Hay Johnston".

Bill (G-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Margaret Georgina Isabel Townsend Mansfield".

Bill (H-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Pasquale Di Guglielmo".

Bill (I-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Theodore B. Ostlund Fruitier".

Bill (J-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Erna Warthold Langlois".

Bill (K-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ruth Steinwold Lauer".

Bill (L-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of George Hodgson Fisher".

Bill (M-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Molly Gurevitch Gladman".

Bill (N-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Goldie Anker Lazanik".

Ordered, That they be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the thirty-seventh to the forty-fifth Reports of the Standing Committee on Divorce, both inclusive.

The said Reports were, on division, adopted.

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce presented to the Senate the following Bills:—

Bill (S-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Julia Menard Mills".

Bill (T-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Vera Esteri Seppala Vuorimies".

Bill (U-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Violet Magdalen Johnson Overall".

Bill (V-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Adélard Bélanger".

Bill (W-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Edna Lyall Burgess Lambert".

Bill (X-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Barbara Hellen Smith Dodds".

Bill (Y-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ellen Margaret Doris Sheehan Décary".

Bill (Z-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Kathleen O'Raw Major".

Bill (A-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Vernon Oswald Marquez".

The said Bills were, on division, severally read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That they be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 12

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Thursday, 23rd March, 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Euler,	Leger,	Murdock,
Aylesworth	Fafard,	Lesage,	Paquet,
(Sir Allen),	Fallis,	Macdonald	Paterson,
Ballantyne,	Foster,	(Richmond-West	Quinn,
Beaubien	Gouin,	Cape Breton),	Riley,
(Montarville),	Green,	Macdonald	Robertson,
Beaubien (St. Jean	Griesbach,	(Cardigan),	Robicheau,
Baptiste),	Haig,	MacLennan,	Robinson,
Beauregard,	Hardy,	Marcotte,	St. Père,
Bench,	Harmer,	McDonald	Sinclair,
Black,	Horner,	(Shediac),	Smith (Victoria-
Bourque,	Howard,	McGuire,	Carleton),
Buchanan,	Hushion,	McIntyre,	Stevenson,
Calder,	Johnston,	McRae,	Tanner,
Copp,	Jones,	Michener,	Vaillancourt,
Donnelly,	King,	Molloy,	Vien,
Duffus,	Lambert,	Morand,	White,
DuTremblay,			Wilson.

PRAYERS.

The following petition was presented:—

By the Honourable the Chairman of the Committee on Divorce:—

Of Shirley Harte Harvey Payne, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Raymond William Payne.

The following petitions were read and received:—

Of Michael Hawryliuk and others of Winnipeg, Manitoba; praying to be incorporated under the name of "Workers Benevolent Association of Canada."

Of Otto Eklund, of Meeting Creek, Alberta, and others of elsewhere; praying to be incorporated under the name of "The Executive Board of The Evangelical Lutheran Augustana Synod of North America."

The Honourable Senator Copp from the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours, presented the following Report:—

The same was read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 22nd March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours have in obedience to the Order of Reference of 21st March, 1944, considered the following motion:—

"That in the opinion of the Senate it is desirable that the Dominion Government should cause a thorough investigation to be made by a firm of eminent Hydro Electric engineers into the possibilities of developing tidal power at the confluence of the Petitcodiac and Memramcook Rivers in the Province of New Brunswick."

From evidence adduced your Committee is satisfied that an investigation by competent engineers into the possibilities of developing tidal power at the confluence of the Petitcodiac and Memramcook Rivers in New Brunswick is warranted, and as a post-war project merits immediate action to determine the practicability of the development.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Bills were, on division, severally read the third time:—

Bill (E-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Charlotte Muriel Wright."

Bill (F-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Sarah Carmichael Hay Johnston."

Bill (G-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Margaret Georgina Isabel Townsend Mansfield."

Bill (H-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Pasquale Di Guglielmo."

Bill (I-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Theodore B. Ostlund Fruitier."

Bill (J-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Erna Warthold Langlois."

Bill (K-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ruth Steinwold Lauer."

Bill (L-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of George Hodgson Fisher."

Bill (M-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Molly Gurevitch Gladman."

Bill (N-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Goldie Anker Lazanik."

The question was put whether these Bills shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed these Bills, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence taken before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of Bill (C), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Wesleyan Methodist Church of America in Canada," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Bills were, on division, severally read the second time:—

Bill (S-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Julia Menard Mills."

Bill (T-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Vera Esteri Seppala Vuorimies."

Bill (U-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Violet Magdalen Johnson Overall."

Bill (V-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Adélard Bélanger."

Bill (W-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Edna Lyall Burgess Lambert."

Bill (X-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Barbara Hellen Smith Dodds."

Bill (Y-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ellen Margaret Doris Sheehan Décary."

Bill (Z-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Kathleen O'Raw Major."

Bill (A-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Vernon Oswald Marquez."

Ordered, That they be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading at the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the forty-sixth to the fifty-second Reports of the Standing Committee on Divorce.

The said Reports were, on division, adopted.

The Order of the Day being called for resuming the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator Beauregard:—

That it is expedient that this House should get ready without delay to study the legislation which will be brought before it—constructive or remedial legislation—intended to safeguard, immediately after the termination of war production, the economic life in each of the Provinces of the country; and for this purpose to constitute among its members a committee of economic studies, as representative as possible, which would be empowered to investigate the normal

production in each Province, the standard of living, the employment capacities, the conditions of labour, the openings, and, for this purpose, to invite and hear representatives from farmers, labourers, transport companies, the industrial and commercial world concerning their preparation and their concrete projects for the post-war.

It was Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce presented to the Senate the following Bills:—

Bill (B-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Wilson Allan Martin".

Bill (C-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Victoria May Larkin Kirkcaldy".

Bill (D-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Nellie Blinkhorn Cowie".

Bill (E-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of William Mace".

Bill (F-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Pauline Hislop Ralph".

Bill (G-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ethel Mary Moffatt Shaw".

The said Bills were read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That they be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading at the next sitting of the Senate.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion of the Honourable Senator King, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday, next, the twenty-eighth day of March, at eight o'clock in the evening.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 13

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Tuesday, 28th March, 1944

8 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Donnelly,	Leger,	Murdock,
Aylesworth	Duffus,	Lesage,	Paquet,
(Sir Allen),	DuTremblay,	Macdonald	Paterson,
Ballantyne,	Euler,	(Richmond-West	Quinn,
Beaubien	Fafard,	Cape Breton),	Riley,
(Montarville),	Fallis,	Macdonald	Robertson,
Beaubien (St. Jean	Foster,	(Cardigan),	Robicheau,
Baptiste),	Green,	MacLennan,	Robinson,
Beauregard,	Griesbach,	Marcotte,	St. Père,
Bench,	Haig,	Marshall,	Sinclair,
Black,	Hardy,	McDonald	Smith (Victoria-
Bouchard,	Harmer,	(Shediac),	Carleton),
Bourque,	Horner,	McGuire,	Stevenson,
Calder,	Hushion,	McIntyre,	Sutherland,
Chapais	Johnston,	McRae,	Tanner,
(Sir Thomas),	Jones,	Michener,	Vaillancourt,
Copp,	King,	Molloy,	Vien,
David,	Lambert,	Moraud,	White,
			Wilson.

PRAYERS.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their fifty-third Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 22nd March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their fifty-third Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Alfreda Elsie Hatch Carpenter, of the city of Westmount, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Henry William Carpenter, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, subject to payment of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their fifty-fourth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 22nd March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their fifty-fourth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Rachel Segal Kaparofsky, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Abraham Kaparofsky, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, subject to payment of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their fifty-fifth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 22nd March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their fifty-fifth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Paul Lapointe, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, commercial traveller, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Marie Lucina Synette Lapointe, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. M. ASELTINE,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their fifty-sixth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 22nd March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their fifty-sixth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Vera Grace Percy Moore, of the city of Verdun, in the province of Quebec, comptometer operator, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Ellsworth Stillman Moore, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, subject to payment of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. M. ASELTINE,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their fifty-seventh Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 22nd March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their fifty-seventh Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Jean Fernand Georges Robitaille, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, publicist, for an Act to dissolve his

marriage with Marie Elizabeth Hebert Robitaille, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. M. ASELTINE,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their fifty-eighth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 22nd March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their fifty-eighth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Marie Stella Gisele Payette MacRae, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, office clerk, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with William MacRae, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, subject to payment of \$75.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. M. ASELTINE,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their fifty-ninth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 23rd March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their fifty-ninth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Horace Henry Chapman, of the town of Fulford, in the province of Quebec, railway conductor, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Annie Winifred Patch Chapman, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their sixtieth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 23rd March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their sixtieth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Florence Berger Bassin, of the city of Outremont, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Edward Irving Bassin, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their sixty-first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 23rd March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their sixty-first Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Roland Edouard Levert, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, mechanic, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Marie-Des-Neiges Simone Lafleur Levert, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, subject to payment of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their sixty-second Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 23rd March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their sixty-second Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Alice Robert Rajotte, of the town of Dorval, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with

Gustave Rajotte, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

C. W. ROBINSON,

Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable Senator King laid on the Table:—

Copies of Agreement between Canada and China on the principles applying to the provision by Canada of Canadian war supplies to China under the War Appropriation (United Nations Mutual Aid) Act of Canada, 1943, signed at Ottawa, 22nd March, 1944. (English and French.)

Naval Orders 3459-3477, dated 11th March, 1944.

Copies of Order in Council P.C. 1977, dated 20th March, 1944, amending the National Selective Service Civilian Regulations.

Report to Parliament by George A. Touche and Company on the audit of the accounts of the Canadian National Railway System, Canadian National Securities Trust, Trans-Canada Air Lines, and Canadian National (West Indies) Steamships, Limited, for the year ended 31st December, 1943. (English and French.)

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Bills were, on division, severally read the third time:—

Bill (S-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Julia Menard Mills."

Bill (T-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Vera Esteri Seppala Vuorimies."

Bill (U-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Violet Magdalen Johnson Overall."

Bill (V-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Adélarde Bélanger."

Bill (W-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Edna Lyall Burgess Lambert."

Bill (X-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Barbara Hellen Smith Dodds."

Bill (Y-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ellen Margaret Doris Sheehan Décaré."

Bill (Z-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Kathleen O'Raw Major."

Bill (A-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Vernon Oswald Marquez."

The question was put whether these Bills shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed these Bills, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence taken before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (O-2), intituled: "An Act to change the name of The Discount & Loan Corporation of Canada to Personal Finance Company of Canada" was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (P-2), intituled: "An Act respecting a certain patent application of Claude H. Peters," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (Q-2), intituled: "An Act respecting The Kettle Valley Railway Company," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (R-2), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Fundy Air Lines," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (C), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Wesleyan Methodist Church of America in Canada," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Bills were, on division, severally read the second time:—

Bill (B-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Wilson Allan Martin."

Bill (C-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Victoria May Larkin Kirkealdy."

Bill (D-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Nellie Blinkhorn Cowie."

Bill (E-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of William Mace."

Bill (F-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Pauline Hislop Ralph."

Bill (G-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ethel Mary Moffatt Shaw."

Ordered, That they be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the Report of the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours, with respect to the following motion:—

"That in the opinion of the Senate it is desirable that the Dominion Government should cause a thorough investigation to be made by a firm of eminent Hydro Electric engineers into the possibilities of developing tidal power at the confluence of the Petitcodiac and Memramcook Rivers in the Province of New Brunswick."

It was Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator Beauregard:—

That it is expedient that this House should get ready without delay to study the legislation which will be brought before it—constructive or remedial legislation—intended to safeguard, immediately after the termination of war production, the economic life in each of the Provinces of the country; and for this purpose to constitute among its members a committee of economic studies, as

representative as possible, which would be empowered to investigate the normal production in each Province, the standard of living, the employment capacities, the conditions of labour, the openings, and, for this purpose, to invite and hear representatives from farmers, labourers, transport companies, the industrial and commercial world concerning their preparation and their concrete projects for the post-war.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate be adjourned until to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 14

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Wednesday, 29th March, 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Donnelly,	Leger,	Murdock,
Aylesworth	Duffus,	Lesage,	Paquet,
(Sir Allen),	DuTremblay,	Macdonald	Paterson,
Ballantyne,	Euler,	(Richmond-West	Quinn,
Beaubien	Fafard,	Cape Breton),	Riley,
(Montarville),	Fallis,	Macdonald	Robertson,
Beaubien (St. Jean	Foster,	(Cardigan),	Robicheau,
Baptiste),	Green,	MacLennan,	Robinson,
Beauregard,	Griesbach,	Marcotte,	St. Père,
Bench,	Haig,	Marshall,	Sinclair,
Black,	Hardy,	McDonald	Smith (Victoria-
Bouchard,	Harmer,	(Shediac),	Carleton),
Bourque,	Horner,	McGuire,	Stevenson,
Calder,	Hushion,	McIntyre,	Sutherland,
Chapais	Johnston,	McRae,	Tanner,
(Sir Thomas),	Jones,	Michener,	Vaillancourt,
Copp,	King,	Molloy,	Vien,
David,	Lambert,	Moraud,	White,
			Wilson.

PRAYERS.

The Honourable Senator McRae from the Standing Committee on External Relations, presented their first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 3rd February, 1944.

The Standing Committee on External Relations beg leave to make their first Report, as follows:—

Your Committee recommend that their quorum be reduced to seven (7) Members.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. D. McRAE,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate.

The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator Jones from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their seventh Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 29th March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg leave to make their seventh Report, as follows:—

Your Committee have examined the following petitions and find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects:—

Of Michael Hawryliuk and others of Winnipeg, Manitoba; praying to be incorporated under the name of "Workers Benevolent Association of Canada."

Of Otto Eklund, of Meeting Creek, Alberta, and others of elsewhere; praying to be incorporated under the name of "The Executive Board of The Evangelical Lutheran Augustana Synod of North America."

All which is respectfully submitted.

GEO. B. JONES,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Honourable Senator Haig presented to the Senate a Bill (H-3), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Workers Benevolent Association of Canada."

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

The Honourable Senator Haig presented to the Senate a Bill (I-3), intituled: "An Act to incorporate The Executive Board of The Canada Conference of The Evangelical Lutheran Augustana Synod of North America."

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Friday, next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (41), intituled: "An Act to amend The Technical Education Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Bills were, on division, severally read the third time:—

Bill (B-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Wilson Allan Martin."

Bill (C-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Victoria May Larkin Kirkcaldy."

Bill (D-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Nellie Blinkhorn Cowie."

Bill (E-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of William Mace."

Bill (F-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Pauline Hislop Ralph."

Bill (G-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ethel Mary Moffatt Shaw."

The question was put whether these Bills shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed these Bills, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence taken before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pusuant to the Orders of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the fifty-third to the sixty-second Reports of the Standing Committee on Divorce, both inclusive.

The said Reports were, on division, adopted.

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce presented to the Senate the following Bills:—

Bill (J-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Alfreda Elsie Hatch Carpenter."

Bill (K-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Rachel Segal Kaparofsky."

Bill (L-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Paul Lapointe."

Bill (M-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Vera Grace Percy Moore."

Bill (N-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Jean Fernand Georges Robitaille."

Bill (O-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Marie Stella Gisele Payette MacRae."

Bill (P-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Horace Henry Chapman."

Bill (Q-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Florence Berger Bassin."

Bill (R-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Roland Edouard Levert."

Bill (S-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Alice Robert Rajotte."

The said Bills were, on division, severally read the first time.

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered that they be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (Q-2), intituled: "An Act respecting the Kettle Valley Railway Company," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (C), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Wesleyan Methodist Church of America in Canada," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the Report of the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours with respect to the following motion:—

"That in the opinion of the Senate it is desirable that the Dominion Government should cause a thorough investigation to be made by a firm of eminent Hydro Electric engineers into the possibilities of developing tidal power at the confluence of the Petitcodiac and Memramcook Rivers in the Province of New Brunswick."

The Honourable Senator Copp, seconded by the Honourable Senator Robinson, moved that the said Report be now adopted.

After debate,

The said Report was adopted.

The Order of the Day being called for resuming the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator Beaugard—

That it is expedient that this House should get ready without delay to study the legislation which will be brought before it—constructive or remedial legislation—intended to safeguard, immediately after the termination of war production, the economic life in each of the Provinces of the country; and for this purpose to constitute among its members a committee of economic studies, as representative as possible, which would be empowered to investigate the normal production in each Province, the standard of living, the employment capacities, the conditions of labour, the openings, and, for this purpose, to invite and hear representatives from farmers, labourers, transport companies, the industrial and commercial world concerning their preparation and their concrete projects for the post-war.

It was Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 15

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Thursday, 30th March, 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Duffus,	Macdonald	Paterson,
Aylesworth	DuTremblay,	(Richmond-West	Quinn,
(Sir Allen),	Euler,	Cape Breton),	Riley,
Ballantyne,	Fafard,	Macdonald	Robertson,
Beaubien	Fallis,	(Cardigan),	Robicheau,
(Montarville),	Foster,	MacLennan,	Robinson,
Beaubien (St. Jean	Green,	Marcotte,	St. Père,
Baptiste),	Griesbach,	Marshall,	Sinclair,
Beauregard,	Haig,	McDonald	Smith (Victoria-
Black,	Hardy,	(Shediac),	Carleton),
Bouchard,	Harmer,	McGuire,	Stevenson,
Bourque,	Horner,	McIntyre,	Sutherland,
Calder,	Hushion,	McRae,	Tanner,
Chapais	Jones,	Michener,	Vaillancourt,
(Sir Thomas),	King,	Molloy,	Vien,
Copp,	Lambert,	Moraud,	White,
David,	Leger,	Murdock,	Wilson.
Donnelly,	Lesage,	Paquet,	

PRAYERS.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that he had received a communication from the Assistant Secretary to the Governor General.

The same was then read by the Honourable the Speaker, as follows:—

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL'S SECRETARY, CANADA

OTTAWA, 29th March, 1944.

SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that the Honourable Thibaudeau Rinfret, Chief Justice of Canada, acting as Deputy of His Excellency the Governor General, will proceed to the Senate Chamber on Friday, the 31st March, at 5.45 p.m., for the purpose of giving the Royal Assent to certain Bills.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

F. L. C. PEREIRA,

Assistant Secretary to the Governor General.

The Honourable
The Speaker of the Senate,
Ottawa.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (53), intituled: "An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the public service of the financial year ending 31st March, 1945," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the second and third times.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (54), intituled: "An Act for granting to His Majesty aid for National Defence and Security," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the second and third times.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (35), intituled: "An Act to amend the Exchequer Court Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (38), intituled: "An Act to authorize the raising, by way of loan, of certain sums of money for the Public Service," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the second and third times.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

The Honourable Senator White from the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts, presented their second Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 30th March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts beg leave to make their second Report, as follows:—

Your Committee recommend:—

That Victor Lemire be appointed a Sessional Reporter (French) on the reporting staff of the Senate, and that he be paid at the rate of \$10 per day from the beginning of the present Session.

All which is respectfully submitted.

GERALD V. WHITE,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable Senator White from the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts, presented their third Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 30th March, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts beg leave to make their third Report, as follows:—

Your Committee recommend:—

That the appointment of Messrs. Thomas Green and Georges Langlois to the reporting staff of the Senate be continued for the present Session of Parliament upon the terms and conditions set forth in the report of the Committee on Debates and Reporting of 3rd June, 1913, and in accordance with the further recommendation adopted by the Senate on 30th June, 1938.

All which is respectfully submitted.

GERALD V. WHITE,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion of the Honourable Senator Robinson, it was—

Ordered, That authority be granted for the printing of 600 copies of the proceedings before the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours on the possibilities of developing tidal power at the confluence of the Petitcodiac and Memramcook Rivers in the Province of New Brunswick; and that Rule 100 be suspended in so far as it relates to the said printing.

The Honourable Senator King laid on the Table:—

Naval Orders 3478-3504, dated 18th March, 1944.

Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the War Measures Act during the months of January and February, 1944, in typewritten form. (English and French.)

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Honourable Senator King moved that the Bill (41), intituled: "An Act to amend the Technical Education Act," be now read a second time.

After debate,

The said Bill was read the second time, and—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Orders of the Day, the following Bills were, on division, severally read the second time:—

Bill (J-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Alfreda Elsie Hatch Carpenter."

Bill (K-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Rachel Segal Kaparofsky."

Bill (L-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Paul Lapointe."

Bill (M-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Vera Grace Percy Moore."

Bill (N-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Jean Fernand Georges Robitaille."

Bill (O-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Marie Stella Gisele Payette MacRae."

Bill (P-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Horace Henry Chapman."

Bill (Q-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Florence Berger Bassin."

Bill (R-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Roland Edouard Levert."

Bill (S-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Alice Robert Rajotte."

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bills were, on division, read the third time.

The question was put whether these Bills shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed these Bills, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Honourable Senator Paterson, for the Honourable Senator Hayden, moved that the Bill (C), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Wesleyan Methodist Church of America in Canada," be now read a second time.

After debate,

The said Bill was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator Beauregard—

That it is expedient that this House should get ready without delay to study the legislation which will be brought before it—constructive or remedial legislation—intended to safeguard, immediately after the termination of war production, the economic life in each of the Provinces of the country; and for this purpose to constitute among its members a committee of economic studies, as representative as possible, which would be empowered to investigate the normal production in each Province, the standard of living, the employment capacities, the conditions of labour, the openings, and, for this purpose, to invite and hear representatives from farmers, labourers, transport companies, the industrial and commercial world concerning their preparation and their concrete projects for the post-war.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate on the said motion be adjourned until to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 16

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Friday, 31st March, 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Duffus,	Leger,	Paterson,
Aylesworth	Fafard,	Macdonald	Quinn,
(Sir Allen),	Fallis,	(Richmond-West	Riley,
Ballantyne,	Foster,	Cape Breton),	Robicheau,
Beaubien (St. Jean	Green,	MacLennan,	Robinson,
Baptiste),	Griesbach,	Marcotte,	Sinclair,
Beauregard,	Haig,	Marshall,	Smith (Victoria-
Black,	Hardy,	McGuire,	Carleton),
Bourque,	Harmer,	McIntyre,	Stevenson,
Calder,	Horner,	McRae,	Sutherland,
Chapais	Hushion,	Michener,	Tanner,
(Sir Thomas),	Jones,	Molloy,	Vaillancourt,
Copp,	King,	Murdock,	Vien,
David,	Lambert,	Paquet,	White,
Donnelly,			Wilson.

PRAYERS.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (65), intituled: "An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the public service of the financial year ending 31st March, 1944," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate,

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the second and third times.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (41), intituled: "An Act to amend the Technical Education Act," was read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (35), intituled: "An Act to amend the Exchequer Court Act," was read the second time.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator Beauregard—

That it is expedient that this House should get ready without delay to study the legislation which will be brought before it—constructive or remedial legislation—intended to safeguard, immediately after the termination of war production, the economic life in each of the Provinces of the country; and for this purpose to constitute among its members a committee of economic studies, as representative as possible, which would be empowered to investigate the normal production in each Province, the standard of living, the employment capacities, the conditions of labour, the openings, and, for this purpose, to invite and hear representatives from farmers, labourers, transport companies, the industrial and commercial world concerning their preparation and their concrete projects for the post-war.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate on the said motion be adjourned until the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (H-3), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Workers Benevolent Association of Canada," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (I-3), intituled: "An Act to incorporate The Executive Board of The Canada Conference of The Evangelical Lutheran Augustana Synod of North America," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the second Report of the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts.

The said Report was adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the third Report of the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts.

The said Report was adopted.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion of the Honourable Senator King, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday, the twenty-fifth day of April, next, at eight o'clock in the evening.

The Senate adjourned during pleasure.

The Senate resumed.

The Senate adjourned during pleasure.

After a while the Honourable Thibadeau Rinfret, acting as Deputy of His Excellency the Governor General, having come and being seated at the foot of the Throne,

The Honourable the Speaker commanded the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod to proceed to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that—

"It is the Honourable the Deputy Governor General's desire that they attend him immediately in the Senate Chamber."

The House of Commons being come.

The Clerk read the titles of the Bills to be assented to, as follows:—

An Act to authorize the raising, by way of loan, of certain sums of money for the Public Service.

An Act to amend the Technical Education Act.

An Act to amend the Exchequer Court Act.

To these Bills the Royal Assent was pronounced by the Clerk of the Senate in the following words:—

"In His Majesty's name, the Honourable the Deputy Governor General doth assent to these Bills."

The Honourable the Speaker of the Commons then addressed the Honourable the Deputy Governor General, as follows:—

“MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

“The Commons of Canada have voted supplies required to enable the Government to defray certain expenses of the Public Service.

“In the name of the Commons, I present to Your Honour the following Bills:—

An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the public service of the financial year ending the 31st March, 1945.

An Act for granting to His Majesty aid for National Defence and Security.

An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the public service of the financial year ending the 31st March, 1944.

“To which Bills I humbly request Your Honour’s assent.”

After the Clerk had read the titles of these Bills.

To these Bills the Royal Assent was pronounced by the Clerk of the Senate in the following words:—

“In His Majesty’s name, the Honourable the Deputy Governor General thanks His Loyal Subjects, accepts their benevolence, and assents to these Bills.”

After which the Honourable the Deputy Governor General was pleased to retire.

The Commons withdrew.

The Senate resumed.

The Senate adjourned until Tuesday, the twenty-fifth day of April, next, at eight o’clock in the evening.

No. 17

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Tuesday, 25th April, 1944

8 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Copp,	Howard,	Mullins,
Aylesworth	David,	Johnston,	Murdock,
(Sir Allen),	Dennis,	Jones,	Paquet,
Ballantyne,	Donnelly,	King,	Paterson,
Beaubien (St. Jean	Duff,	Lambert,	Robertson,
Baptiste),	Duffus,	Leger,	St. Père,
Bench,	DuTremblay,	Lesage,	Sinclair,
Black,	Euler,	Marcotte,	Smith (Victoria-
Blais,	Fallis,	Marshall,	Carleton),
Bouchard,	Foster,	McDonald	Stevenson,
Bourque,	Gouin,	(Shediac),	Tanner,
Calder,	Haig,	McIntyre,	Vaillancourt,
Campbell,	Hardy,	Michener,	Vien,
Chapais	Hayden,	Molloy,	White.
(Sir Thomas),	Harmer,	Moraud,	

PRAYERS.

The Honourable Senator Copp from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their sixty-third Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 25th April, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their sixty-third Report, as follows:—

The Committee recommend:—

1. That the time limited for receiving petitions for Bills of divorce be extended to Friday, the 5th May, 1944.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator Blais presented to the Senate a Bill (T-3), intituled: "An Act respecting The General Missionary Society of the German Baptist Churches of North America and to change its name to The North American Baptist General Missionary Society."

The said Bill was read the first time.

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading on Thursday, next.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (36), intituled: "An Act to repeal the Water Meters Inspection Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (64), intituled: "An Act respecting the Canadian National Railways and to provide for the refunding of matured, maturing and callable financial obligations," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (84), intituled: "An Act for carrying into effect the Agreement for United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration between Canada and certain other Nations and Authorities," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (85), intituled: "An Act to amend the Judges Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (86), intituled: "An Act respecting the appointment of Auditors for National Railways," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (87), intituled: "An Act to authorize an Agreement between His Majesty the King and the Corporation of the City of Ottawa," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Senator King laid on the Table:—

Copy of Order in Council P.C. 119/2595, approved 12th April, 1944: providing for pension payments to members of the Women's Divisions of the armed forces.

Copies of Orders in Council P.C. 2626 and 2675, dated 13th April, 1944, amending the National Selective Service Civilian Regulations.

Naval Orders 3505-3516, dated 25th March, 1944.

Naval Orders 3517-3554, dated from 1st April, 1944, to 8th April, 1944, inclusive.

Naval Orders 3555-3570, dated 15th April, 1944.

Copies of a Treaty between Canada and the Republic of China concerning the relinquishment of extra-territorial rights and the regulation of related matters (with Exchange of Notes), signed at Ottawa, 14th April, 1944. Treaty Series 1944/11.

Copies of Agreement between Canada and The French Committee of National Liberation on the principles applying to the provision by Canada of Canadian War Supplies to The French Committee of National Liberation under the War Appropriation (United Nations Mutual Aid) Act of Canada, 1943, signed at Ottawa, 14th April, 1944. Treaty Series 1944/12. (English and French.)

Exchange of Notes between Canada and Newfoundland constituting an Agreement for the settlement of claims arising out of traffic accidents involving Canadian and Newfoundland vehicles, dated at St. John's, Newfoundland, 24th January and 7th February, 1944. Treaty Series 1944/6. (English and French.)

Exchange of Notes between Canada and Newfoundland prolonging for a further period of one year the Agreement on the operation of a Commercial Air Service to Newfoundland by Trans-Canada Air Lines effected by an Exchange of Notes of 6th, 7th, 9th and 27th February, 1942, dated at St. John's, Newfoundland, 1st and 2nd March, 1944. Treaty Series 1944/8. (English and French.)

Exchange of Notes between Canada and the United States of America, constituting an Agreement for the settlement of claims arising out of traffic accidents involving Canadian and United States vehicles, dated at Ottawa, 1st and 23rd March, 1944. Treaty Series 1944/10. (English and French.)

Exchange of Notes between Canada and Mexico recording an Agreement in respect of conscription for military service in Canada and in Mexico, dated at Mexico City, 29th February, 1944. Treaty Series 1944/7. (English and French.)

The Order of the Day being called for resuming the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator Beaugregard—

That it is expedient that this House should get ready without delay to study the legislation which will be brought before it—constructive or remedial legislation—intended to safeguard, immediately after the termination of war production, the economic life in each of the Provinces of the country; and for this purpose to constitute among its members a committee of economic studies, as representative as possible, which would be empowered to investigate the normal production in each Province, the standard of living, the employment capacities, the conditions of labour, the openings, and, for this purpose, to invite and hear representatives from farmers, labourers, transport companies, the industrial and commercial world concerning their preparation and their concrete projects for the post-war.

It was Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 18

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Wednesday, 26th April, 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Copp,	Hayden,	Molloy,
Aylesworth	David,	Howard,	Moraud,
(Sir Allen),	Dennis,	Hushion,	Mullins,
Ballantyne,	Donnelly,	Johnston,	Murdock,
Beaubien (St. Jean	Duff,	Jones,	Paquet,
Baptiste),	Duffus,	King,	Paterson,
Bench,	DuTremblay,	Lambert,	St. Père,
Black,	Euler,	Leger,	Sinclair,
Blais,	Fallis,	Lesage,	Smith (Victoria-
Bouchard,	Farris,	Marcotte,	Carleton),
Bourque,	Foster,	Marshall,	Stevenson,
Buchanan,	Gouin,	McDonald	Tanner,
Calder,	Haig,	(Shediac),	Vaillancourt,
Campbell,	Hardy,	McIntyre,	Vien,
Chapais	Harmer,	Michener,	White,
(Sir Thomas),			Wilson.

PRAYERS.

The following petitions were presented:—

By the Honourable Senator Haig:—

Of The Wawanesa Mutual Insurance Company; praying for the passing of an Act to provide that each holder of a policy of fire insurance of at least \$1,000 issued by the Company shall be a member of the Company and entitled to vote at meetings of the Company.

By the Honourable the Acting Chairman of the Committee on Divorce:—

Of Bertha Harris Fineberg, of Montreal, Quebec, office clerk; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with David Fineberg.

Of Joseph Henri Veaudry, of Montreal, Quebec, painter; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Rose-Eva Bouchard Veaudry.

Of James Christie Miller, of Verdun, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Victoria Kate Spittachine Miller.

Of Louis Humble, of Montreal, Quebec, clerk; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Marjorie Donoghue Humble.

Of Ruth Steinwold Lauer, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for refund of the Parliamentary fees paid upon her petition for a Bill of Divorce.

Of Josephine Kurys Kulczycki, of Verdun, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with John Kulczycki, junior.

Of Everett Roy Clow, of Murray Harbour North, Prince Edward Island; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Mary Eva White Clow.

Of Pearl Anneta Benn Russell, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with John Joseph Russell.

The Honourable Senator Buchanan from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their eighth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 26th April, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg leave to make their eighth Report, as follows:—

The Committee recommend:—

(1) That the time limited for receiving petitions for Private Bills be extended to Friday, the 19th May, 1944.

(2) That the time limited for presenting Private Bills be extended to Friday, the 2nd June, 1944.

(3) That the time limited for receiving Reports of any Standing or Special Committee on a Private Bill be extended to Friday, the 16th June, 1944.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. A. BUCHANAN,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate.

The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator Copp, from the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours, to whom was referred the Bill (Q-2), intituled: "An Act respecting The Kettle Valley Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment. .

With leave of the Senate.

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honourable Senator Copp, from the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours, to whom was referred the Bill (R-2), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Fundy Air Lines," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with two amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

Page 1, line 19. After "cumulative" insert "redeemable".

Page 2, line 22. After "preference" insert "restriction".

Ordered, That the said amendments be taken into consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their sixty-fourth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 25th April, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their sixty-fourth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Margaretha Bernhard Cronauer, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, seamstress, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Joachim Cronauer, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, subject to payment of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,

Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their sixty-fifth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 25th April, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their sixty-fifth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of William Cowie, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, salesman, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with

PRAYERS.

The following petitions were presented:—

By the Honourable Senator Haig:—

Of The Wawanesa Mutual Insurance Company; praying for the passing of an Act to provide that each holder of a policy of fire insurance of at least \$1,000 issued by the Company shall be a member of the Company and entitled to vote at meetings of the Company.

By the Honourable the Acting Chairman of the Committee on Divorce:—

Of Bertha Harris Fineberg, of Montreal, Quebec, office clerk; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with David Fineberg.

Of Joseph Henri Veaudry, of Montreal, Quebec, painter; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Rose-Eva Bouchard Veaudry.

Of James Christie Miller, of Verdun, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Victoria Kate Spittachine Miller.

Of Louis Humble, of Montreal, Quebec, clerk; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Marjorie Donoghue Humble.

Of Ruth Steinwold Lauer, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for refund of the Parliamentary fees paid upon her petition for a Bill of Divorce.

Of Josephine Kurys Kulezycki, of Verdun, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with John Kulezycki, junior.

Of Everett Roy Clow, of Murray Harbour North, Prince Edward Island; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Mary Eva White Clow.

Of Pearl Anneta Benn Russell, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with John Joseph Russell.

The Honourable Senator Buchanan from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their eighth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 26th April, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg leave to make their eighth Report, as follows:—

The Committee recommend:—

(1) That the time limited for receiving petitions for Private Bills be extended to Friday, the 19th May, 1944.

(2) That the time limited for presenting Private Bills be extended to Friday, the 2nd June, 1944.

(3) That the time limited for receiving Reports of any Standing or Special Committee on a Private Bill be extended to Friday, the 16th June, 1944.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. A. BUCHANAN,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate.

The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator Copp, from the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours, to whom was referred the Bill (Q-2), intituled: "An Act respecting The Kettle Valley Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate.

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honourable Senator Copp, from the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours, to whom was referred the Bill (R-2), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Fundy Air Lines," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with two amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

Page 1, line 19. After "cumulative" insert "redeemable".

Page 2, line 22. After "preference" insert ", restriction".

Ordered, That the said amendments be taken into consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their sixty-fourth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 25th April, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their sixty-fourth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Margaretha Bernhard Cronauer, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, seamstress, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Joachim Cronauer, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, subject to payment of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,

Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their sixty-fifth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 25th April, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their sixty-fifth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of William Cowie, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, salesman, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with

Kathlyn Elaine Kelly Cowie, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, subject to payment of \$150.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their sixty-sixth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 25th April, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their sixty-sixth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Nita Marjorie Hammerich Ward, of the city of Vancouver, in the province of British Columbia, repairer of eiderdowns, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Albion Tudor Ward, of the city of Thetford Mines, in the province of Quebec, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, subject to payment of \$75.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their sixty-seventh Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 25th April, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their sixty-seventh Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Margaret Kirschen Brown MacRae, of the city of Revelstoke, in the province of British Columbia, school teacher, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Arthur Lyell MacRae, of the village of Sawyer-ville, in the province of Quebec, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, subject to payment of \$75.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,

Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their sixty-eighth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 25th April, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their sixty-eighth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Henry Rattigan, of the city of Verdun, in the province of Quebec, machine operator, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Mary Kathleen McCaffery Rattigan, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,

Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their sixty-ninth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 25th April, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their sixty-ninth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Ruth Steinwold Lauer, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for refund of the Parliamentary fees paid upon her petition for a Bill of divorce.

2. The Committee recommend that the prayer of the petition be not granted.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,

Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day the Bill (36), intituled: "An Act to repeal the Water Meters Inspection Act", was read the second time.

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bil (64), intituled: "An Act respecting the Canadian National Railways and to provide for the refunding of matured, maturing and callable financial obligations," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (84), intituled: "An Act for carrying into effect the Agreement for United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration between Canada and certain other Nations and Authorities," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until Tuesday, next.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day the Bill (85), intituled: "An Act to amend the Judges Act", was read the second time.

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (86), intituled: "An Act respecting the appointment of Auditors for National Railways," was read the second time.

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (87), intituled: "An Act to authorize an Agreement between His Majesty the King and the Corporation of the City of Ottawa", it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until Tuesday, next.

The Order of the Day being called for resuming the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator Beauregard—

That it is expedient that this House should get ready without delay to study the legislation which will be brought before it—constructive or remedial legislation—intended to safeguard, immediately after the termination of war production, the economic life in each of the Provinces of the country; and for this purpose to constitute among its members a committee of economic studies, as representative as possible, which would be empowered to investigate the normal production in each Province, the standard of living, the employment capacities, the conditions of labour, the openings, and, for this purpose, to invite and hear representatives from farmers, labourers, transport companies, the industrial and commercial world concerning their preparation and their concrete projects for the post-war.

It was Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 19

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Thursday, 27th April, 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Copp,	Jones,	Mullins,
Aylesworth	David,	King,	Murdock,
(Sir Allen),	Dennis,	Lambert,	Paquet,
Ballantyne,	Duff,	Leger,	Paterson,
Beaubien (St. Jean	Duffus,	Lesage,	Robertson,
Baptiste),	Euler,	Macdonald	St. Père,
Beauregard,	Fallis,	(Cardigan),	Sinclair,
Bench,	Foster,	Marcotte,	Smith (Victoria-
Black,	Haig,	Marshall,	Carleton),
Blais,	Hardy,	McDonald	Stevenson,
Bourque,	Harmer,	(Shediac),	Tanner,
Buchanan,	Hayden,	McIntyre,	Vaillancourt,
Calder,	Hushion,	Michener,	Vien,
Chapais	Johnston,	Molloy,	White,
(Sir Thomas),			Wilson.

PRAYERS.

The Honourable Senator Black from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (H-3), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Workers Benevolent Association of Canada," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with several amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

1. Page 1, line 24. For "benefits" substitute "benefit".
2. Page 1, line 31. For "young people" substitute "others".
3. Page 2, line 29. After "death" insert "or".
4. Page 3, line 35. After "Society," insert "and all expenses of the Society,".

The said amendments were concurred in.

With leave of the Senate.

The said Bill, as amended, was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honourable Senator Black from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (O-2), intituled: "An Act to change the name of The Discount & Loan Corporation of Canada to Personal Finance Company of Canada," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

Ordered, That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable Senator Black from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (P-2), intituled: "An Act respecting a certain patent application of Claude H. Peters," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with one amendment, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendment was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

Page 2, line 19. Add the following as clause 3:—

"3. Notwithstanding anything contained in *The Patent Act, 1935*, any patent which may be granted on the said application shall expire on the first day of January, 1957."

The said amendment was concurred in.

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable Senator Black from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (64), intituled: "An Act respecting the Canadian National Railways and to provide for the refunding of matured, maturing and callable financial obligations," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate without any amendment.

Ordered, That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable Senator Tanner from the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (C), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Wesleyan Methodist Church of America in Canada," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

Ordered, That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable Senator Tanner from the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (I-3), intituled: "An Act to incorporate The Executive Board of The Canada Conference of The Evangelical Lutheran Augustana Synod of North America," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with several amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

1. Page 2, line 25. After "said" insert "The".
2. Page 2, line 27. After "said" insert "The".
3. Page 2, line 29. After "said" insert "The".
4. Page 2, line 31. After "said" insert "The".
5. Page 6, line 12. Between "and" and "any" insert "of".
6. Page 6, line 13. After "place" insert "within Canada".
7. Page 6, line 14. Leave out "within Canada".

Ordered, That the said amendments be taken into consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Honourable Senator King moved that the Bill (36), intituled: "An Act to repeal the Water Meters Inspection Act," be now read a third time.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate on the said motion be adjourned until the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (85), intituled: "An Act to amend the Judges Act," was read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (86), intituled: "An Act respecting the appointment of Auditors for National Railways," was read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (T-3), intituled: "An Act respecting The General Missionary Society of the German Baptist Churches of North America, and to change its name to The North American Baptist General Missionary Society," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the amendments made by the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours to the Bill (R-2), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Fundy Air Lines."

The said amendments were concurred in.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

Pursuant to the Orders of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the sixty-fourth to sixty-eighth Reports of the Standing Committee on Divorce, both inclusive.

The said Reports were, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the sixty-ninth Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, with respect to the petition of Ruth Steinwold Lauer, praying for refund of the Parliamentary fees.

The said Report was adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator Beauregard:—

That it is expedient that this House should get ready without delay to study the legislation which will be brought before it—constructive or remedial legislation—intended to safeguard, immediately after the termination of war production, the economic life in each of the Provinces of the country; and for this purpose to constitute among its members a committee of economic studies, as representative as possible, which would be empowered to investigate the normal production in each Province, the standard of living, the employment capacities, the conditions of labour, the openings, and, for this purpose, to invite and hear representatives from farmers, labourers, transport companies, the industrial and commercial world concerning their preparation and their concrete projects for the post-war.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate on the said motion be adjourned until the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce presented to the Senate the following Bills:—

Bill (U-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of William Cowie".

Bill (V-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Nita Marjorie Hammerich Ward".

Bill (W-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Margaret Kirsén Brown MacRae".

Bill (X-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Margaretha Bernhard Cronauer".

Bill (Y-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Henry Rattigan".

The said Bills were, on division, severally read the first time, and—

Ordered, That they be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading at the next sitting of the Senate.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion of the Honourable Senator King, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday, next, the second day of May, at eight o'clock in the evening.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 20

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Tuesday, 2nd May, 1944

8 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Copp,	Howard,	Molloy,
Aylesworth	Daigle,	Hugessen,	Moraud,
(Sir Allen),	David,	Johnston,	Murdock,
Ballantyne,	Davies,	King,	Paquet,
Beaubien	Dennis,	Lacasse,	Paterson,
(Montarville),	Duff,	Lambert,	Riley,
Beaubien (St. Jean	Duffus,	Lesage,	Robertson,
Baptiste),	Fallis,	Macdonald	Robicheau,
Beauregard,	Farris,	(Cardigan),	St. Père,
Black,	Foster,	Marcotte,	Sinclair,
Blais,	Griesbach,	Marshall,	Stevenson,
Bouchard,	Haig,	McDonald	Tanner,
Bourque,	Hardy,	(Shediac),	Vaillancourt,
Buchanan,	Harmer,	McIntyre,	Vien,
Calder,	Hayden,	Michener,	White,
			Wilson.

PRAYERS.

The following petition was presented:—

By the Honourable the Acting Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce.

Of Elmore MacLean MacKay, of Stanley Bridge, in the county of Queens, Prince Edward Island, farmer; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Josephine Mildred MacKay.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their seventieth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 28th April, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their seventieth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Mary Annesley Iverson, of the city of Verdun, in the province of Quebec, lathe operator, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Allan Douglas Iverson, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, subject to payment of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,

Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their seventy-first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 28th April, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their seventy-first Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Annie Drewniak Sonberg, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, machine operator, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with David Sonberg, otherwise known as Dave Zonberg, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, subject to payment of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,

Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their seventy-second Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 28th April, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their seventy-second Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Celia Zlatkes Azeff, of the city of Toronto, in the province of Ontario, sales clerk, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Henry Azeff, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, subject to payment of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,

Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their seventy-third Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 28th April, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their seventy-third Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Louisa O'Tool Shelley, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Josiah Shelley, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,

Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their seventy-fourth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 28th April, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their seventy-fourth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Miriam Schwartz Silcoff, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, typist, for an Act to dissolve her marriage

with Max Silcoff, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, subject to payment of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,

Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their seventy-fifth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 28th April, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their seventy-fifth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Margaret Millar Short, of the town of Montreal West, in the province of Quebec, stenographer, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Clarence John William Short, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,

Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (36), intituled: "An Act to repeal the Water Meters Inspection Act," was read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (O-2), intituled: "An Act to change the name of The Discount & Loan Corporation of Canada to Personal Finance Company of Canada," was read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (P-2), intituled: "An Act respecting a certain patent application of Claude H. Peters", was read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (64), intituled: "An Act respecting the Canadian National Railways and to provide for the refunding of matured, maturing and callable financial obligations," was read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day the Bill (C), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Wesleyan Methodist Church of America in Canada," was read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the amendments made by the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills to the Bill (I-3), intituled: "An Act to incorporate The Executive Board of The Canada Conference of The Evangelical Lutheran Augustana Synod of North America".

The said amendments were concurred in.

With leave of the Senate.

The said Bill, as amended, was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Honourable Senator King moved that the Bill (84), intituled: "An Act for carrying into effect the Agreement for United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration between Canada and certain other Nations and Authorities," be now read a second time.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate on the said motion be adjourned until to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day the Honourable Senator King moved that the Bill (87), intituled: "An Act to authorize an Agreement between His Majesty the King and the Corporation of the City of Ottawa," be now read a second time.

After debate,

The said Bill was read the second time.

With leave of the Senate.

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Orders of the Day, the following Bills were, on division, severally read the second time.

Bill (U-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of William Cowie".

Bill (V-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Nita Marjorie Hammerich Ward".

Bill (W-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Margaret Kirschen Brown MacRae".

Bill (X-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Margaretha Bernhard Cronauer".

Bill (Y-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Henry Rattigan".

Ordered, That they be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for resuming the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator Beauregard—

That it is expedient that this House should get ready without delay to study the legislation which will be brought before it—constructive or remedial legislation—intended to safeguard, immediately after the termination of war production, the economic life in each of the Provinces of the country; and for this purpose to constitute among its members a committee of economic studies, as representative as possible, which would be empowered to investigate the normal production in each Province, the standard of living, the employment capacities, the conditions of labour, the openings, and, for this purpose, to invite and hear representatives from farmers, labourers, transport companies, the industrial and commercial world concerning their preparation and their concrete projects for the post-war.

It was Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Honourable Senator King laid on the Table:—

Naval Orders 3571-3583, dated 22nd April, 1944.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 21

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Wednesday, 3rd May, 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	David,	Johnston,	Murdock,
Aylesworth	Davies,	King,	Paquet,
(Sir Allen),	Dennis,	Lacasse,	Paterson,
Ballantyne,	Duff,	Lambert,	Riley,
Beaubien	Duffus,	Leger,	Robertson,
(Montarville),	Fallis,	Lesage,	Robicheau,
Beaubien (St. Jean	Farris,	Macdonald	St. Père,
Baptiste),	Foster,	(Cardigan),	Sinclair,
Beauregard,	Griesbach,	Marcotte,	Stevenson,
Black,	Haig,	Marshall,	Sutherland,
Blais,	Hardy,	McDonald	Tanner,
Bourque,	Harmer,	(Shediac),	Vaillancourt,
Buchanan,	Hayden,	McIntyre,	Vien,
Calder,	Howard,	Michener,	White,
Copp,	Hugessen,	Molloy,	Wilson.
Daiglé,	Hushion,	Morau,	

PRAYERS.

The Honourable Senator Copp from the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours, to whom was referred the Bill (B), intituled: "An Act respecting Vancouver, Victoria and Eastern Railway and Navigation Company, The Nelson and Fort Sheppard Railway Company and Great Northern Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with several amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

1. Page 2, line 13. Leave out "said".
2. Page 2, line 15. For "said railways" substitute "railway".
3. Page 2, line 16. Leave out "said".
4. Page 2, line 17. Leave out "the said".
5. Page 2, line 20. For "agreeable to the grantor and the grantee" substitute "agreed upon by the companies".
6. Page 2, line 21. Leave out "said".
7. Page 2, line 24. For "said railways" substitute "railway".
8. Page 2, line 24. Leave out the second "said".
9. Page 2, line 27. For "said railways" substitute "railway".
10. Page 2, line 30. Leave out "said".
11. Page 2, lines 32 and 33. Leave out all the words after "Act" to the end of clause 3.
12. Page 2, line 34. Leave out "said".
13. Page 2, line 37. For "said railways" substitute "railway".
14. Page 2, line 37. After "of" leave out "the said".
15. Page 2, line 40. For "said railways" substitute "railway".
16. Page 2, line 43. Leave out "the said".
17. Page 2, lines 44 to 46. Leave out all the words after "Act" to the end of clause 4.
18. Page 3, line 1. For "aforesaid" substitute "set out in this Act".
19. Page 3, line 2. Leave out "said".

The said amendments were concurred in.

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Senator Aseltine called the attention of the Senate to the shortage of ammunition for hunting game birds and animals and inquired of the ministry as to the possibility of releasing a reasonable supply of ammunition for that purpose.

Debated.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Bills were, on division, severally read the third time:—

Bill (U-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of William Cowie".

Bill (V-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Nita Marjorie Hammerich Ward".

Bill (W-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Margaret Kirsén Brown MacRae".

Bill (X-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Margaretha Bernhard Cronauer".

Bill (Y-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Henry Rattigan".

The question was put whether these Bills shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed these Bills, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion for the second reading of the Bill (84), intituled: "An Act for carrying into effect the Agreement for United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration between Canada and certain other Nations and Authorities."

After further debate, and—

The question being put on the said motion, it was—

Resolved in the affirmative.

The said Bill was then read the second time.

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Orders of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the seventieth to the seventy-fifth Reports of the Standing Committee on Divorce, both inclusive.

The said Reports were, on division, adopted.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce presented to the Senate the following Bills:—

Bill (Z-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Margaret Millar Short."

Bill (A-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mary Annesley Iverson."

Bill (B-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Annie Drewniak Sonberg."

Bill (C-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Celia Zlatkes Azeff."

Bill (D-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Louisa O'Tool Shelley."

Bill (E-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Miriam Schwartz Silcoff."

The said Bills were, on division, severally read the first time, and—

Ordered, That they be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for resuming the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator Beauguard—

That it is expedient that this House should get ready without delay to study the legislation which will be brought before it—constructive or remedial legislation—intended to safeguard, immediately after the termination of war

production, the economic life in each of the Provinces of the country; and for this purpose to constitute among its members a committee of economic studies, as representative as possible, which would be empowered to investigate the normal production in each Province, the standard of living, the employment capacities, the conditions of labour, the openings, and, for this purpose, to invite and hear representatives from farmers, labourers, transport companies, the industrial and commercial world concerning their preparation and their concrete projects for the post-war.

It was Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 22

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Thursday, 4th May, 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	David,	Johnston,	Moraud,
Aylesworth	Davies,	King,	Murdock,
(Sir Allen),	Duff,	Lacasse,	Paquet,
Ballantyne,	Duffus,	Lambert,	Paterson,
Beaubien	Fallis,	Leger,	Riley,
(Montarville),	Farris,	Lesage,	Robertson,
Beaubien (St. Jean	Foster,	Macdonald	Robicheau,
Baptiste),	Griesbach,	(Cardigan),	St. Père,
Beauregard,	Haig,	Marcotte,	Sinclair,
Black,	Hardy,	Marshall,	Stevenson,
Blais,	Harmer,	McDonald	Sutherland,
Bourque,	Hayden,	(Shediac),	Tanner,
Buchanan,	Howard,	McIntyre,	Vaillancourt,
Calder,	Hugessen,	Michener,	Vien,
Copp,	Hushion,	Molloy,	White,
Daigle,			Wilson.

PRAYERS.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their seventy-sixth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 2nd May, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their seventy-sixth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Frances Eleanor Campbell Coleman, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Albert Robert Ernest Coleman, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their seventy-seventh Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 2nd May, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their seventy-seventh Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of George Igaz, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, butler-cook, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Maria Racz Igaz, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, subject to payment of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their seventy-eighth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 2nd May, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their seventy-eighth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of John William Frank Draper, of the town of Cowansville, in the county of Missisquoi, in the province of Quebec, insurance

broker, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Genevieve Cisle Whittier Draper, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their seventy-ninth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 2nd May, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their seventy-ninth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Sam Sokoloff, of the town of McMasterville, in the province of Quebec, merchant, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Maria Mona Taran Sokoloff, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their eightieth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 2nd May, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their eightieth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Léon LeBrun, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, merchant, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Annette Laporte LeBrun, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable Senator David moved—

That this House, acknowledging the teaching of History as one of the fundamentals of patriotism in every country, and anxious to develop a better and more understanding Canadian patriotism, expresses the wish that at the Interprovincial Conference to be held in Ottawa, in the near future, the Delegates representing the nine Provinces of our Confederation may be pleased to appoint a Committee composed of the most impartial and competent Historians as such recognized in each Province, with the mission of preparing a text book of Canadian History that could be accepted and adopted by all Provincial Governments in all schools under their direct or indirect jurisdiction or control.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate on the said motion be adjourned until the next sitting of the Senate.

On motion of the Honourable Senator Haig, it was—

Ordered, That the Parliamentary fees paid upon Bill (I-3), intituled: "An Act to incorporate The Executive Board of The Canada Conference of The Evangelical Lutheran Augustana Synod of North America," be refunded to Messrs. Keith, Maybank & Keith, Winnipeg, solicitors for the petitioners, less printing and translation costs.

On motion of the Honourable Senator Lambert, for the Honourable Senator Hayden, it was—

Ordered, That the Parliamentary fees paid upon the Bill (C), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Wesleyan Methodist Church of America in Canada," be refunded to Messrs. MacCraken, Fleming, Schroeder & Burnett, Ottawa, solicitors for the petitioners, less printing and translation costs.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (B), intituled: "An Act respecting Vancouver, Victoria and Eastern Railway and Navigation Company, The Nelson and Fort Sheppard Railway Company and Great Northern Railway Company," was read the third time, as amended.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (84), intituled: "An Act for carrying into effect the Agreement for United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration between Canada and certain other Nations and Authorities," was read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the following Bills were, on division, severally read the second time:—

Bill (Z-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Margaret Millar Short".

Bill (A-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mary Annesley Iverson."

Bill (B-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Annie Drewniak Sonberg".

Bill (C-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Celia Zlatkes Azeff.

Bill (D-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Louisa O'Tool Shelley."

Bill (E-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Miriam Schwartz Silcoff."

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bills were, on division, then severally read the third time.

The question was put whether these Bills shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed these Bills, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator Beauregard—

That it is expedient that this House should get ready without delay to study the legislation which will be brought before it—constructive or remedial legislation—intended to safeguard, immediately after the termination of war production, the economic life in each of the Provinces of the country; and for this purpose to constitute among its members a committee of economic studies, as representative as possible, which would be empowered to investigate the normal production in each Province, the standard of living, the employment capacities, the conditions of labour, the openings, and, for this purpose, to invite and hear representatives from farmers, labourers, transport companies, the industrial and commercial world concerning their preparation and their concrete projects for the post-war.

After further debate, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said motion was withdrawn.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion of the Honourable Senator King, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Monday, the twenty-ninth day of May, at eight o'clock in the evening.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 23

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Monday, 29th May, 1944

8 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aylesworth	Donnelly,	Jones,	Murdock,
(Sir Allen),	Duff,	Lacasse,	Paquet,
Bench,	Duffus,	Lambert,	Paterson,
Blais,	DuTremblay,	Leger,	Raymond,
Bouchard,	Gouin,	Lesage,	St. Père,
Calder,	Haig,	MacLennan,	Stevenson,
Chapais	Hardy,	Marcotte,	Tanner,
(Sir Thomas),	Harmer,	Marshall,	Vaillancourt,
Copp,	Hayden,	McGuire,	Vien,
Daigle,	Howard,	McIntyre,	White,
David,	Hugessen,	Michener,	Wilson.
Davies,	Hushion,	Morad,	

PRAYERS.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (111), intituled: "An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the public service of the financial year ending the 31st March, 1945," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time.

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their eighty-first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 4th May, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their eighty-first Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of William Taffert, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, salesman, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Annie Gross Taffert, otherwise known as Amy Gross Taffert.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees paid upon a previous petition apply to the petition of the present Session without further payment, and that the advertising in the local newspapers made for a previous Session be accepted as sufficient compliance with the Rules for the present Session.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,

Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their eighty-second Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 5th May, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their eighty-second Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Belle Bailey Leibovitch, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Harry Leibovitch, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,

Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the Said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their eighty-third Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 5th May, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their eighty-third Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Gertie Shulman Friedman, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Jack Friedman, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their eighty-fourth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 5th May, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their eighty-fourth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Sarah Slutsky Shapiro, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, sales clerk, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Max Shapiro, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, subject to payment of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their eighty-fifth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 5th May, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their eighty-fifth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Jessie Dickson Mackie Toy, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Kenneth Grand Toy, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,

Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their eighty-sixth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 5th May, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their eighty-sixth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Angele Pauline Edgar Marie Lambert Choux, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Charles Alfred Eloi Wilfrid Choux, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,

Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their eighty-seventh Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 5th May, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their eighty-seventh Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Margaret Kathleen Hollenbeck Fortin, of the city of Verdun, in the province of Quebec, silk coner, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Adrien Fortin, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, subject to payment of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,

Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their eighty-eighth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 9th May, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their eighty-eighth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Hulda Van Koughnet Lynch-Staunton, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Victor Martyn Lynch-Staunton, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their eighty-ninth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 9th May, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their eighty-ninth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of James MacMillan McHale, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, moulder's helper, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Annie Jane Stalgitis McHale, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, subject to payment of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their nintieth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 9th May, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their ninetieth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Vernon Ross Aiken, of the village of Glen Sutton, in the province of Quebec, farmer, for an Act to dissolve his

marriage with Louision Eliza St. Francis Aiken, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their ninety-first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 9th May, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their ninety-first Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Frederick Richard Channon, of the city of Verdun, in the province of Quebec, foreman, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Ida May Sprules Channon, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their ninety-second Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 9th May, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their ninety-second Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Ernest Charles Hazard, of the city of Westmount, in the province of Quebec, photograph finisher, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Annie Armstrong Hazard, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be placed on the Orders of the Day for consideration to-morrow.

On motion of the Honourable Senator Copp, for the Honourable Senator King, it was—

Ordered, That Rules 23, 24 and 63 be suspended in so far as they relate to public financial Bills requiring consideration by the Senate on the 29th, 30th or 31st May, 1944.

The Honourable Senator Copp, for the Honourable Senator King, laid on the Table:—

Part "A" General Orders The Canadian Army (English edition—3rd December, 1943, to 16 March, 1944) (French edition 26th November, 1943, to 2nd March, 1944).

Report of the Department of National Defence for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1943. (French edition).

Naval Orders 3584-3600, dated 29th April, 1944.

Naval Orders 3601-3615, dated 6th May, 1944.

Naval Orders 3616-3639, dated 13th May, 1944.

Naval Orders 3640-3658, dated 20th May, 1944.

Copy of Order in Council P.C. 117/3088, approved 27th April, 1944, increasing the maximum pensions payable to dependent parents where there is a pensionable widow or child, etc.

Copy of Order in Council P.C. 2443, dated 2nd May, 1944, amending National Resources Mobilization Act (Army) Regulations, 1943.

Copy of Order in Council P.C. 3438, dated 8th May, 1944, amending National Selective Service Civilian Regulations *re* termination of employment in designated establishments.

Copy of Order in Council P.C. 5/3655, approved 15th May, 1944, providing for payment of a pension to the widow of a member of the forces who saw service in the Great War and who was married prior to 1st May, 1944; and the payment of additional pensions in certain cases.

Copy of Order in Council P.C. 4/3655, approved 15th May, 1944, amending the Post Discharge Re-establishment Order by increasing the rates of allowances.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk in the following words:—

MONDAY, 29th May, 1944.

Resolved,—That a Joint Committee of the Senate and House of Commons be appointed to review the special problems arising out of the location of the seat of government in the City of Ottawa and to report on the relations between the Federal Government and Municipal authorities of the said city and their relative responsibilities in respect of such problems with power to inquire into the matter and things therein referred to:—

That the said Committee consist of the following: Messrs. Boucher, Cote, Dechene, Gregory, Hill, Knowles, Marshall, Matthews, McIlraith, McLean (*Simcoe East*), O'Brien, Pinard, Purdy, Reid, White.

That Standing Order 65 of the House of Commons be suspended in relation thereto;

That the Committee shall have leave to sit while the House is in session;

That the said Committee shall have power to send for persons, papers and records and to report from time to time;

That a message be sent to the Senate to acquaint their Honours that the House of Commons has appointed this Committee and to request their Honours to appoint Members of the Senate to act thereon with the Members of the House of Commons as a Joint Committee of both Houses.

Attest.

ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE,
Clerk of the House of Commons.

Ordered, That the said Message be taken into consideration to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Orders of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the seventy-sixth to the eightieth Reports of the Standing Committee on Divorce, both inclusive.

The said Reports were, on division, severally adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator David—

That this House, acknowledging the teaching of History as one of the fundamentals of patriotism in every country, and anxious to develop a better and more understanding Canadian patriotism, expresses the wish that at the Interprovincial Conference to be held in Ottawa, in the near future, the Delegates representing the nine Provinces of our Confederation may be pleased to appoint a Committee composed of the most impartial and competent Historians as such recognized in each Province, with the mission of preparing a text book of Canadian History that could be accepted and adopted by all Provincial Governments in all schools under their direct or indirect jurisdiction or control.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate on the said motion be adjourned until to-morrow.

The Honourable Senator Copp presented to the Senate the following Bills:—

Bill (F-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Frances Eleanor Campbell Coleman."

Bill (G-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of George Igaz."

Bill (H-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of John William Frank Draper."

Bill (I-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Sam Sokoloff."

Bill (J-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Léon LeBrun."

The said Bills were, on division, severally read the first time.

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That they be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 24

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Tuesday, 30th May, 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aylesworth	Donnelly,	Hushion,	Michener,
(Sir Allen),	Duff,	Jones,	Morand,
Bench,	Duffus,	King,	Murdock,
Blais,	DuTremblay,	Lambert,	Paquet,
Bouchard,	Gouin,	Leger,	Paterson,
Campbell,	Haig,	Lesage,	Raymond,
Chapais	Hardy,	MacLennan,	St. Père,
(Sir Thomas),	Harmer,	Marcotte,	Stevenson,
Copp,	Hayden,	Marshall,	Tanner,
Daigle,	Howard,	McGuire,	Vaillancourt,
David,	Hugessen,	McIntyre,	Vien,
Davies,			Wilson.

PRAYERS.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (B), intituled: "An Act respecting Vancouver, Victoria and Eastern Railway and Navigation Company, The Nelson and Fort Sheppard Railway Company and Great Northern Railway Company,"

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (Q-2), intituled: "An Act respecting The Kettle Valley Railway Company,"

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return to Bill (R-2), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Fundy Air Lines."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill with two amendments, to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

Page 4—Line 48. After the figures "1927", insert the words "and amendments thereto,".

Page 4—Line 50. After the figures "1938" insert, ", and amendments thereto".

Ordered, That the said amendments be taken into consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable Senator Tanner from the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill (T-3), intituled: "An Act respecting The General Missionary Society of the German Baptist Churches of North America, and to change its name to The North American Baptist General Missionary Society," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

Ordered, That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (111), intituled: "An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the public service of the financial year ending the 31st March, 1945," was read the second time.

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Orders of the Day, the following Bills were, on division, severally read the second time:—

Bill (F-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Frances Eleanor Campbell Coleman."

Bill (G-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of George Igaz."

Bill (H-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of John William Frank Draper."

Bill (I-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Sam Sokoloff."

Bill (J-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Léon LeBrun."

Ordered, That the said Bills be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Orders of the Day the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the eighty-first to the ninety-second Reports of the Standing Committee on Divorce.

The said Reports were, on division, severally adopted.

The Honourable Senator Copp presented to the Senate the following Bills:—

Bill (K-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of William Taffert.

Bill (L-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Belle Bailey Leibovitch."

Bill (M-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Gertie Shulman Friedman."

Bill (N-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Sarah Slutsky Shapiro."

Bill (O-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Jessie Dickson Mackie Toy."

Bill (P-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Angele Pauline Edgar Marie Lambert Choux."

Bill (Q-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Margaret Kathleen Hollenbeck Fortin."

Bill (R-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Hulda Van Koughnet Lynch-Staunton."

Bill (S-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of James MacMillan McHale.

Bill (T-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Vernon Ross Aiken."

Bill (U-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Frederick Richard Channon."

Bill (V-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ernest Charles Hazard.

The said Bills were, on division, severally read the first time, and—

Ordered, That they be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of a Message from the House of Commons with respect to the appointment of a Joint Committee of both Houses to review the special problems arising out of the location of the seat of government in the City of Ottawa.

On motion of the Honourable Senator King, it was—

Ordered, That the Senate do unite with the House of Commons in the appointment of a Joint Committee of both Houses to review the special problems arising out of the location of the seat of government in the City of Ottawa and to report on the relations between the Federal Government and Municipal authorities of the said city and their relative responsibilities in respect of such problems with power to enquire into the matter and things therein referred to.

That the Honourable Senators Copp, DuTremblay, Lambert, Leger, Stevenson and White, be appointed to act on behalf of the Senate as members of the Joint Committee.

That the Committee have power to send for persons, papers and records.

That the Committee be authorized to sit during sittings and adjournments of the Senate.

That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to inform that House accordingly.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator David—

That this House, acknowledging the teaching of History as one of the fundamentals of patriotism in every country, and anxious to develop a better and more understanding Canadian patriotism, expresses the wish that at the Interprovincial Conference to be held in Ottawa, in the near future, the Delegates representing the nine Provinces of our Confederation may be pleased to appoint a Committee composed of the most impartial and competent Historians as such recognized in each Province, with the mission of preparing a text book of Canadian History that could be accepted and adopted by all Provincial Governments in all schools under their direct or indirect jurisdiction or control.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate on the said motion be adjourned until to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 25

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Wednesday, 31st May, 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aylesworth	Davies,	King,	Michener,
(Sir Allen),	Donnelly,	Lacasse,	Moraud,
Bench,	Duffus,	Lambert,	Murdock,
Blais,	Gouin,	Leger,	Paquet,
Campbell,	Haig,	Lesage,	Paterson,
Chapais	Hardy,	MacLennan,	St. Père,
(Sir Thomas),	Harmer,	Marcotte,	Stevenson,
Copp,	Hugessen,	Marshall,	Tanner,
Daigle,	Hushion,	McGuire,	Vaillancourt,
David,	Jones,	McIntyre,	Vien,
			Wilson.

PRAYERS.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that he had received a communication from the Assistant Secretary to the Governor General.

The same was then read by the Honourable the Speaker, as follows:—

OTTAWA, 31st May, 1944.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNOR GENERAL

SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that the Honourable Thibaudeau Rinfret, Chief Justice of Canada, acting as Deputy of His Excellency the Governor General, will proceed to the Senate Chamber on Thursday, the 1st June, at 5.50 p.m., for the purpose of giving the Royal Assent to certain Bills.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

F. L. C. PEREIRA,

Assistant Secretary to the Governor General.

The Honourable
The Speaker of the Senate,
Ottawa.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their ninety-third Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 30th May, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their ninety-third Report, as follows:—

The Committee recommend:—

1. That the time limited for receiving petitions for Bills of divorce be extended to Friday, the 2nd June, 1944.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,

Acting Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator King laid on the Table:—

Copy of Order in Council P.C. 2454, dated 26th May, 1944, amending the National Selective Service Civilian Regulations.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (111), intituled: "An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the public service of the financial year ending 31st March, 1945," was read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.
It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill.

Pursuant to the Orders of the Day, the following Bills were, on division, severally read the third time:—

Bill (F-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Frances Eleanor Campbell Coleman."

Bill (G-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of George Igaz."

Bill (H-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of John William Frank Draper."

Bill (I-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Sam Sokoloff."

Bill (J-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Léon LeBrun."

The question was put whether these Bills shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed these Bills, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (T-3), intituled: "An Act respecting The General Missionary Society of the German Baptist Churches of North America, and to change its name to The North American Baptist General Missionary Society," was read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Commons to the Bill (R-2), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Fundy Air Lines," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Orders of the Day, the following Bills were, on division, severally read the second time:—

Bill (K-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of William Taffert."

Bill (L-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Belle Bailey Leibovitch."

Bill (M-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Gertie Shulman Friedman."

Bill (N-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Sarah Slutsky Shapiro."

Bill (O-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Jessie Dickson Mackie Toy."

Bill (P-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Angele Pauline Edgar Marie Lambert Choux."

Bill (Q-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Margaret Kathleen Hollenbeck Fortin."

Bill (R-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Hulda Van Koughnet Lynch-Staunton."

Bill (S-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of James MacMillan McHale."

Bill (T-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Vernon Ross Aiken."

Bill (U-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Frederick Richard Channon."

Bill (V-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ernest Charles Hazard."

Ordered, That the said Bills be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for resuming the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator David—

That this House, acknowledging the teaching of History as one of the fundamentals of patriotism in every country, and anxious to develop a better and more understanding Canadian patriotism, expresses the wish that at the Interprovincial Conference to be held in Ottawa, in the near future, the Delegates representing the nine Provinces of our Confederation may be pleased to appoint a Committee composed of the most impartial and competent Historians as such recognized in each Province, with the mission of preparing a text book of Canadian History that could be accepted and adopted by all Provincial Governments in all schools under their direct or indirect jurisdiction or control.

It was Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion of the Honourable Senator King, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until to-morrow, the first day of June, at five o'clock in the afternoon.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 26

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Thursday, 1st June, 1944

5 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Bench,	Duffus,	King,	Murdock,
Blais,	Haig,	Lambert,	Paquet,
Campbell,	Harmer,	MacLennan,	Paterson,
Copp,	Hayden,	Marcotte,	St. Père,
Daigle,	Howard,	Marshall,	Stevenson,
Davies,	Hushion,	McIntyre,	Tanner,
Donnelly,	Jones,	Michener,	Vien,
			Wilson.

PRAYERS.

The following petitions were severally presented:—

By the Honourable the Acting Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce.

Of Lillian Bessie Noall Salmon, of Montreal, Quebec, stenographer; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with George William Salmon.

Of Albert D. Doherty, of the city of Quebec, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Marion Eva Pratt Doherty.

Of Zoe Irene McFarland Craig, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, and at present residing at the city of Windsor, in the province of Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Alexander Joseph Mendez Craig, of the said city of Montreal.

Of Rose Vogel Blatt, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Jack Blatt.

The Honourable Senator Copp, from the Joint Committee of the Senate and the House of Commons on relations between the Federal Government and the City of Ottawa, presented their first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 1st June, 1944.

The Joint Committee of the Senate and the House of Commons appointed to review the special problems arising out of the location of the seat of government in the City of Ottawa and to report on the relations between the Federal Government and Municipal authorities of the said city and their relative responsibilities in respect of such problems with power to inquire into the matter and things therein referred to, beg leave to make their First Report, as follows:—

Your Committee recommend:

1. That the quorum of the Senate section of the Joint Committee be reduced to three members.

2. That authority be granted to print, from day to day, 500 copies in English and 200 copies in French of the proceedings of the Committee, and that Rule 100 be suspended in relation thereto.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their ninety-fourth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 30th May, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their ninety-fourth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of James Russell Popham, of the village of Senneville, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve his marriage

with Janet Ruth Sherer Popham, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their ninety-fifth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 30th May, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their ninety-fifth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Norma Segal Katz, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Israel Katz, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, subject to payment of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their ninety-sixth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 30th May, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their ninety-sixth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Harold Almond Jelley, of the village of O'Leary, in the county of Prince, in the province of Prince Edward Island, merchant, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Winnie Agnes Silliker Jelley, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their ninety-seventh Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 30th May, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their ninety-seventh Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Josephine Kurys Kulczycki, of the city of Verdun, in the province of Quebec, sales clerk, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with John Kulczycki, junior, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their ninety-eighth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 30th May, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their ninety-eighth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Shirley Harte Harvey Payne, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Raymond William Payne, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their ninety-ninth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 30th May, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their ninety-ninth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Pearl Anneta Benn Russell, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with John Joseph Russell, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,

Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundredth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

WEDNESDAY, 31st May, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundredth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Joseph Adélar Paul Bégin, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, jobber, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Marie Simone Yvette Pérusse Bégin, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,

Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion of the Honourable Senator King, it was—

Ordered, That the address by the Right Honourable W. L. Mackenzie King, M.P., Prime Minister of Canada, to Members of both House of Parliament at Westminster on the 11th May, 1944, and the other addresses delivered on that occasion, be printed as an appendix to the Official Report of the Debates of the Senate, and form part of the permanent records of this House.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion of the Honourable Senator King, it was—

Ordered, That the address by the Right Honourable John Curtin, Prime Minister of Australia, to Members of both Houses of Parliament at Ottawa, on the 1st June, 1944, and the other addresses delivered on that occasion, be printed as an appendix to the Official Report of the Debates of the Senate, and form part of the permanent records of this House.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion of the Honourable Senator King, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday, the twentieth day of June, at eight o'clock in the evening.

Pursuant to the Orders of the Day, the following Bills were on division, severally read the third time:—

Bill (K-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of William Taffert."

Bill (L-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Belle Bailey Leibovitch."

Bill (M-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Gertie Shulman Friedman."

Bill (N-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Sarah Slutsky Shapiro."

Bill (O-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Jessie Dickson Mackie Toy."

Bill (P-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Angele Pauline Edgar Marie Lambert Choux."

Bill (Q-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Margaret Kathleen Hollenbeck Fortin."

Bill (R-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Hulda Van Koughnet Lynch-Staunton."

Bill (S-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of James MacMillan McHale."

Bill (T-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Vernon Ross Aiken."

Bill (U-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Frederick Richard Channon."

Bill (V-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ernest Charles Hazard."

The question was put whether these Bills shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed these Bills, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Commons to the Bill (R-2), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Fundy Air Lines," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

The Order of the Day being called for resuming the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator David—

That this House, acknowledging the teaching of History as one of the fundamentals of patriotism in every country, and anxious to develop a better and more understanding Canadian patriotism, expresses the wish that at the Interprovincial Conference to be held in Ottawa, in the near future, the Delegates representing the nine Provinces of our Confederation may be pleased to appoint a Committee composed of the most impartial and competent Historians as such recognized in each Province, with the mission of preparing a text book of Canadian History that could be accepted and adopted by all Provincial Governments in all schools under their direct or indirect jurisdiction or control.

It was Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

The Senate adjourned during pleasure.

The Senate resumed.

The Senate adjourned during pleasure.

After a while the Honourable Thibaudeau Rinfret, acting as Deputy of His Excellency the Governor General, having come and being seated at the foot of the Throne,

The Honourable the Speaker commanded the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod to proceed to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that—

“It is the Honourable the Deputy Governor General’s desire that they attend him immediately in the Senate Chamber.”

The House of Commons being come.

The Clerk read the titles of the Bills to be assented to, as follows:—

An Act to amend the Judges Act.

An Act respecting the appointment of Auditors for National Railways.

An Act to repeal the Water Meters Inspection Act.

An Act respecting the Canadian National Railways and to provide for the refunding of matured, maturing and callable financial obligations.

An Act to authorize an Agreement between His Majesty the King and the Corporation of the City of Ottawa.

An Act for carrying into effect the Agreement for United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration between Canada and certain other Nations and Authorities.

An Act respecting Vancouver, Victoria and Eastern Railway and Navigation Company, The Nelson and Fort Sheppard Railway Company and Great Northern Railway Company.

An Act respecting The Kettle Valley Railway Company.

To these Bills the Royal Assent was pronounced by the Clerk of the Senate in the following words:—

“In His Majesty’s name, the Honourable the Deputy Governor General doth assent to these Bills.”

The Honourable the Speaker of the Commons then addressed the Honourable the Deputy Governor General, as follows:—

“MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

“The Commons of Canada have voted supplies required to enable the Government to defray certain expenses of the Public Service.

“In the name of the Commons, I present to Your Honour the following Bill:—

An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the public service of the financial year ending the 31st March, 1945.

“To which Bill I humbly request Your Honour’s assent.”

After the Clerk had read the title of this Bill.

To this Bill the Royal Assent was pronounced by the Clerk of the Senate in the following words:—

"In His Majesty's name, the Honourable the Deputy Governor General thanks His Loyal Subjects, accepts their benevolence, and assents to this Bill."

After which the Honourable the Deputy Governor General was pleased to retire.

The Commons withdrew.

The Senate resumed.

The Senate adjourned until Tuesday, the twentieth day of June, at eight o'clock in the evening.

No. 27

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Tuesday, 20th June, 1944

8 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Copp,	Hugessen,	McDonald
Aylesworth	Daigle,	Hushion,	(Shediac),
(Sir Allen),	David,	Johnston,	McGuire,
Beaubien	Davies,	Jones,	McIntyre,
(Montarville),	Donnelly,	King,	Michener,
Beaubien (St. Jean	Duff,	Lacasse,	Molloy,
Baptiste),	Duffus,	Lambert,	Moraud,
Beauregard,	DuTremblay,	Leger,	Murdock,
Bench,	Fafard,	Lesage,	Paquet,
Black,	Fallis,	Macdonald	Riley,
Bouchard,	Griesbach,	(Richmond-West	Robicheau,
Bourque,	Haig,	Cape Breton),	St. Père,
Buchanan,	Hardy,	Macdonald	Sinclair,
Calder,	Harmer,	(Cardigan),	Tanner,
Campbell,	Horner,	Marcotte,	Vien,
Chapais	Howard,	Marshall,	White,
(Sir Thomas),			Wilson.

PRAYERS.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (C), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Wesleyan Methodist Church of America in Canada,"

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (D), intituled: "An Act respecting The New Brunswick Railway Company,"

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (E), intituled: "An Act respecting Gore District Mutual Fire Insurance Company,"

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (P-2), intituled: "An Act respecting a certain patent application of Claude H. Peters."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

Messages were brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the following Bills, and to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bills, without any amendment, viz:—

Bill (F), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Theodore Zalopany."

Bill (G), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Thelma Alice Warren Whittet."

Bill (H), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ethel Sangster Muir."

Bill (I), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Kiril John Christo."

Bill (J), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Helaine Ethel Leopold Lax."

Bill (K), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Cecil Benjamin Pomeroy."

Bill (M), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Paul Sanson White."

Bill (N), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mary Hope Beers Ross."

Bill (O), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Wasyl Usypchuk, otherwise known as William Usypchuk."

Bill (P), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Walter Stanley Spencer."

Bill (Q), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Emma Gertrude Groves Morris."

Bill (R), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Gertrude Margaret Amy Ogilvie."

Bill (S), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Myrtle Josephine Teel Odell."

Bill (T), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Marjorie Helen Parker Leduc."

Bill (U), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Margaret Derry Kirby."

Bill (V), intituled: "An Act for the relief of George Thomas Bragger."

Bill (W), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Freda Watson Norman Daniels."

Bill (X), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Iris Mabel Dash Wilkinson."

Bill (Z), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Thomas Henry Dwyer."

Bill (A-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Elsie Margaret Ormandy Hendersson."

Bill (B-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Arthur Charles Duffy."

Bill (C-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Kathleen Edna Ellis Wainwright."

Bill (D-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Diana Lenore Carsley Tenenhouse."

Bill (E-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Charlotte Muriel Wright."

Bill (F-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Sarah Carmichael Hay Johnston."

Bill (G-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Margaret Georgina Isabel Townsend Mansfield."

Bill (H-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Pasquale Di Guglielmo."

Bill (I-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Theodora B. Ostlund Fruitier."

Bill (J-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Erna Warthold Langlois."

Bill (K-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ruth Steinwold Lauer."

Bill (L-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of George Hodgson Fisher."

Bill (M-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Molly Gurevitch Gladman."

Bill (S-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Julia Menard Mills."

Bill (T-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Vera Esteri Seppala Vuorimies."

Bill (U-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Violet Magdalen Johnson Overall."

Bill (W-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Edna Lyall Burgess Lambert."

Bill (X-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Barbara Hellen Smith Dodds."

Bill (Y-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ellen Margaret Doris Sheehan Décarry."

Bill (Z-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Kathleen O'Raw Major."

Bill (A-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Vernon Oswald Marquez."

Bill (B-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Wilson Allan Martin."

Bill (C-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Victoria May Larkin Kirkealdy."

Bill (D-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Nellie Blinkhorn Cowie."

Bill (E-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of William Mace."

Bill (F-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Pauline Hislop Ralph."

Bill (G-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ethel Mary Moffatt Shaw."

Bill (J-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Alfreda Elsie Hatch Carpenter."

Bill (K-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Rachel Segal Kaparofsky."

Bill (L-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Paul Lapointe."

Bill (M-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Vera Grace Percy Moore."

Bill (N-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Jean Fernand Georges Robitaille."

Bill (O-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Marie Stella Gisele Payette MacRae."

Bill (P-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Horace Henry Chapman."

Bill (Q-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Florence Berger Bassin."

Bill (R-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Roland Edouard Levert."

Bill (U-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of William Cowie."

Bill (V-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Nita Marjorie Hammerich Ward."

Bill (W-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Margaret Kirschen Brown MacRae."

Bill (X-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Margaretha Bernhard Cronauer."

Bill (Y-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Henry Rattigan."

Bill (Z-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Margaret Millar Short."

Bill (A-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Mary Annesley Iverson."

Bill (B-4), intituled: "An Act for the releif of Annie Drewniak Sonberg."

Bill (C-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Celia Zlatkes Azeff."

Bill (D-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Louisa O'Tool Shelley."

Bill (E-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Miriam Schwartz Silcoff."

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk in the following words:—

MONDAY, 12th June, 1944.

Resolved,—That a Message be sent to the Senate to return to that House the evidence, etc., taken before the Standing Committee of the Senate on Divorce, to whom were referred the petitions of Theodora Zalopany, Thelma Alice Warren Whittet, Ethel Sangster Muir, Kiril John Christo, Helaine Ethel Leopold Lax, Cecil Benjamin Pomeroy, Paul Sanson White, Mary Hope Beers Ross, Wasy Usypchuk, otherwise known as William Usypchuk, Walter Stanley Spencer, Emma Gertrude Groves Morris, Gertrude Margaret Amy Ogilvie, Myrtle Josephine Teel Odell, Marjorie Helen Parker Leduc, Margaret Derry Kirby, George Thomas Bragger, Freda Watson, Norman Daniels, Iris Mabel Dash Wilkinson, Thomas Henry Dwyer, Elsie Margaret Ormandy Henderson, Arthur Charles Duffy, Kathleen Edna Ellis Wainwright, Diana Lenore Carsley Tenenhouse, Charlotte Muriel Wright, Sarah Carmichael Hay Johnston, Margaret Georgina Isabel Townsend Mansfield, Pasquale Di Guglielmo, Theodore B. Ostlund Fruitier, Erna Warthold Langlois, Ruth Steinworld Lauer, George Hodgson Fisher, Molly Gurevitch Gladman, Julia Menard Mills, Vera Esteri Seppala Vuorimies, Violet Magdalen Johnson Overall, Edna Lyall Burgess Lambert, Barbara Hellen Smith Dodds, Ellen Margaret Doris Sheehan Décary, Kathleen O'Raw Major, Vernon Oswald Marquez, Wilson Allan Martin, Victoria May Larkin Kirkcaldy, Nellie Blinkhorn Cowie, William Mace, Pauline Hislop Ralph, Ethel Mary Moffatt Shaw, Alfreda Elsie Hatch Carpenter, Rachel Segal Kaparofsky, Paul Lapointe, Vera Grace Percy Moore, Jean Fernand Georges Robitaille, Marie Stella Gisele Payette MacRae, Horace Henry Chapman, Florence Berger Bassin, Roland Edouard Levert, William Cowie, Nita Marjorie Hammerich Ward, Margaret Kirsén Brown MacRae, Margaretha Bernhard Cronauer, Henry Rattigan, Margaret Millar Short, Mary Annesley Iverson, Annie Drewniak Sonberg, Celia Zlatkes Azeff, Louisa O'Tool Shelley, Miriam Schwartz Silcoff, respectively praying for Bills of Divorce; and the papers produced in evidence before them.

Ordered,—That the Clerk of the House do carry the said Message to the Senate.

Attest.

ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE,

Clerk of the Commons.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (I-3), intituled: "An Act to incorporate The Executive Board of The Canada Conference of The Evangelical Lutheran Augustana Synod of North America,"

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill with one amendment, to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said amendment was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

Page 2, Line 30. After the word "Conference" change period to comma, and add the following words:—

"and shall hold office during the pleasure of the said The Canada Conference".

Ordered, That the said amendment be taken into consideration to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (83), intituled: "An Act to establish a Department of Veterans Affairs," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (112), intituled: "An Act respecting The Naval Service of Canada," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (132), intituled: "An Act for granting to His Majesty aid for National Defence and Security," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (135), intituled: "An Act to provide regulations enabling Canadian War Service electors to exercise their franchise and Canadian prisoners of war to vote by proxy, at any general election held during the present war, also to provide amendments to *The Dominion Elections Act, 1938*, consequential to such regulations, or made necessary by the advent of the said war," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (136), intituled: "An Act to authorize the provision of moneys to meet certain capital expenditures made and capital indebtedness incurred by the Canadian National Railways System during the calendar year 1944, and to authorize the guarantee by His Majesty of certain securities to be issued by the Canadian National Railway Company," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (137), intituled: "An Act respecting Surplus Crown Assets," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (138), intituled: "An Act to amend The War Appropriation (United Nations Mutual Aid) Act, 1943, and for granting to His Majesty aid for the purposes of the said Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Senator King laid on the Table:—

Copy of Convention for the avoidance of double taxation between Canada and the United States of America (Succession Duties) signed at Ottawa, 8th June, 1944. (English and French.)

Naval Orders 3659-3677, dated 27th May, 1944.

Copy of Order in Council P.C. 3205, dated 9th June, 1944, amending National Registration Regulations, 1940

Copy of Order in Council P.C. 4427, dated 9th June, 1944, amending the National Selective Service Mobilization Regulations.

Copy of Regulations made under the Department of Pensions and National Health Act by Order in Council P.C. 4465, dated 13th June, 1944.

Annual Report covering the administration of The National Physical Fitness Act for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1944. (English and French.)

Copy of an Exchange of Notes between Canada and Newfoundland recording permission for Canadian fishing vessels to land salt and fish in Newfoundland for temporary storage in bond during the calendar year 1944. Signed at St. John's, Newfoundland, May 1st, 6th and 15th, 1944. (English and French.)

Copy of an Exchange of Notes between Canada and Brazil constituting an agreement for the promotion of cultural relations between the two countries. Signed at Rio de Janeiro, 24th May, 1944. (English and French.)

Pursuant to the Orders of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the ninety-fourth to the one hundredth Reports of the Standing Committee on Divorce, both inclusive.

The said Reports were, on division, severally adopted.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce presented to the Senate the following Bills:—

Bill (W-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of James Russell Popham."

Bill (X-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Norma Segal Katz."

Bill (Y-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Harold Almond Jelley."

Bill (Z-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Josephine Kurys Kulczycki."

Bill (A-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Shirley Harte Harvey Payne."

Bill (B-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Pearl Anneta Benn Russell."

Bill (C-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Joseph Adélard Paul Bégin."

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That the said Bills be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Commons to the Bill (R-2), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Fundy Air Lines," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for resuming the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator David—

That this House, acknowledging the teaching of History as one of the fundamentals of patriotism in every country, and anxious to develop a better and more understanding Canadian patriotism, expresses the wish that at the Interprovincial Conference to be held in Ottawa, in the near future, the Delegates representing the nine Provinces of our Confederation may be pleased to appoint a Committee composed of the most impartial and competent Historians as such recognized in each Province, with the mission of preparing a text book of Canadian History that could be accepted and adopted by all Provincial Governments in all schools under their direct or indirect jurisdiction or control.

It was Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 28

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Wednesday, 21st June, 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Copp,	Hushion,	McGuire,
Aylesworth	Daigle,	Johnston,	McIntyre,
(Sir Allen),	David,	Jones,	Michener,
Beaubien	Davies,	King,	Molloy,
(Montarville),	Donnelly,	Lacasse,	Moraud,
Beaubien (St. Jean	Duff,	Lambert,	Murdock,
Baptiste), •	Duffus,	Leger,	Paquet,
Beauregard,	DuTremblay,	Macdonald	Paterson,
Bench,	Fafard,	(Richmond-West	Riley,
Black,	Fallis,	Cape Breton),	Robicheau,
Bouchard,	Griesbach,	Macdonald	St. Père,
Bourque,	Haig,	(Cardigan),	Sinclair,
Buchanan,	Hardy,	MacLennan,	Tanner,
Calder,	Harmer,	Marcotte,	Vaillancourt,
Campbell,	Horner,	Marshall,	Vien,
Chapais	Hugessen,	McDonald	White,
(Sir Thomas),		(Shediac),	Wilson.

PRAYERS.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (83), intituled: "An Act to establish a Department of Veterans' Affairs," it was—
Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (112), intituled: "An Act respecting The Naval Service of Canada," it was—
Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Honourable Senator King moved that the Bill (132), intituled: "An Act for granting to His Majesty aid for National Defence and Security," be now read a second time.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate on the said motion be adjourned until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (135), intituled: "An Act to provide regulations enabling Canadian War Service electors to exercise their franchise, and Canadian prisoners of war to vote by proxy, at any general election held during the present war, also to provide amendments to *The Dominion Elections Act, 1938*, consequential to such regulations, or made necessary by the advent of the said war," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day the Bill (136), intituled: "An Act to authorize the provision of moneys to meet certain capital expenditures made and capital indebtedness incurred by the Canadian National Railways System during the calendar year 1944, and to authorize the guarantee by His Majesty of certain securities to be issued by the Canadian National Railway Company," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (137), intituled: "An Act respecting Surplus Crown Assets," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (138), intituled: "An Act to amend The War Appropriation (United Nations Mutual Aid) Act, 1943, and for granting to His Majesty aid for the purposes of the said Act," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Finance.

Pursuant to the Orders of the Day, the following Bills were, on division, severally read the second time:—

Bill (W-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of James Russell Popham."

Bill (X-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Norma Segal Katz."

Bill (Y-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Harold Almond Jelley."

Bill (Z-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Josephine Kurys Kulezycki."

Bill (A-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Shirley Harte Harvey Payne."

Bill (B-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Pearl Anneta Benn Russell."

Bill (C-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Joseph Adélar Paul Bégin."

Ordered, That the said Bills be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the amendments made by the House of Commons to the Bill (R-2), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Fundy Air Lines."

The said amendments were agreed to.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate has agreed to the amendments made by the House of Commons to this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the amendment made by the House of Commons to the Bill (I-3), intituled: "An Act to incorporate The Executive Board of The Canada Conference of The Evangelical Lutheran Augustana Synod of North America."

The said amendment was agreed to.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate has agreed to the amendment made by the House of Commons to this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator David—

That this House, acknowledging the teaching of History as one of the fundamentals of patriotism in every country, and anxious to develop a better and more understanding Canadian patriotism, expresses the wish that at the Interprovincial Conference to be held in Ottawa, in the near future, the Delegates representing the nine Provinces of our Confederation may be pleased to appoint a Committee composed of the most impartial and competent Historians as such recognized in each Province, with the mission of preparing a text book of Canadian History that could be accepted and adopted by all Provincial Governments in all schools under their direct or indirect jurisdiction or control.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate on the said motion be adjourned until to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 29

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Thursday, 22nd June, 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Daigle,	Jones,	McGuire,
Aylesworth	David,	King,	McIntyre,
(Sir Allen),	Davies,	Lacasse,	Michener,
Beaubien	Donnelly,	Lambert,	Molloy,
(Montarville),	Duff,	Leger,	Morand,
Beaubien (St. Jean	Duffus,	Lesage,	Murdock,
Baptiste),	DuTremblay,	Macdonald	Paquet,
Beauregard,	Fafard,	(Richmond-West	Paterson,
Bench,	Fallis,	Cape Breton),	Riley,
Black,	Griesbach,	Macdonald	Robicheau,
Bouchard,	Haig,	(Cardigan),	St. Père,
Bourque,	Harmer,	MacLennan,	Sinclair,
Buchanan,	Horner,	Marcotte,	Tanner,
Calder,	Hugessen,	Marshall,	Vaillancourt,
Chapais	Hushion,	McDonald	Vien,
(Sir Thomas),	Johnston,	(Shediac),	White,
Copp,			Wilson.

PRAYERS.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and first Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 20th June, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and first Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Eugène Charron, of the city of Hull, in the province of Quebec, garage owner, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Rosanna Lavallée Charron, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,

Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and second Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 20th June, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and second Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Lillian Bessie Noall Salmon, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, bookkeeper, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with George William Salmon, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, subject to payment of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,

Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and third Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 20th June, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and third Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Joan Helen Gorham Glover, of the town of Ste. Agathe, in the province of Quebec, secretary, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with John Ludlow Glover, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and fourth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 20th June, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and fourth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Elsie Hollingsworth, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, stockkeeper, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Harold George Hollingsworth, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, subject to payment of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and fifth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 20th June, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and fifth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Louis Joseph Jules Laurencelle, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, merchant, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Marie Blanche Ouellette Laurencelle, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and sixth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 20th June, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and sixth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Freda Altman Scheien, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Frank Philip Scheien, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, subject to payment of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and seventh Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 20th June, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and seventh Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Ivan Walter Moore, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, aviator, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Claire Mary French Moore, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, subject to payment of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable Senator Beauregard, from the Standing Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the Bill (138), intituled: "An Act to amend The War Appropriation (United Nations Mutual Aid) Act," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill.

Pursuant to the Orders of the Day, the following Bills were, on division, severally read the third time:—

Bill (W-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of James Russell Popham."

Bill (X-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Norma Segal Katz."

Bill (Y-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Harold Almond Jelley."

Bill (Z-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Josephine Kurys Kulczycki."

Bill (A-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Shirley Harte Harvey Payne."

Bill (B-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Pearl Anneta Benn Russell."

Bill (C-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Joseph Adélard Paul Bégin."

The question was put whether these Bills shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed these Bills, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (83), intituled: "An Act to establish a Department of Veterans' Affairs," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (112), intituled: "An Act respecting The Naval Service of Canada," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion for the second reading of the Bill (132), intituled: "An Act for granting to His Majesty aid for National Defence and Security."

After further debate,

The said Bill was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Finance.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (135), intituled: "An Act to provide regulations enabling Canadian War Service electors to exercise their franchise, and Canadian prisoners of war to vote by proxy, at any general election held during the present war, also to provide amendments to *The Dominion Elections Act, 1938*, consequential to such regulations, or made necessary by the advent of the said war," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (137), intituled: "An Act respecting Surplus Crown Assets," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator David—

That this House, acknowledging the teaching of History as one of the fundamentals of patriotism in every country, and anxious to develop a better and more understanding Canadian patriotism, expresses the wish that at the Interprovincial Conference to be held in Ottawa, in the near future, the Delegates representing the nine Provinces of our Confederation may be pleased to appoint a Committee composed of the most impartial and competent Historians as such recognized in each Province, with the mission of preparing a text book of Canadian History that could be accepted and adopted by all Provincial Governments in all schools under their direct or indirect jurisdiction or control.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate on the said motion be adjourned until to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 30

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Friday, 23rd June, 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Davies,	Lambert,	McIntyre,
Aylesworth	Duff,	Leger,	Michener,
(Sir Allen),	Duffus,	Lesage,	Molloy,
Beaubien (St. Jean	Fafard,	Macdonald	Murdock,
Baptiste),	Fallis,	(Richmond-West	Paquet,
Beauregard,	Griesbach,	Cape Breton),	Paterson,
Bench,	Haig,	Macdonald	Riley,
Black,	Harmer,	(Cardigan),	Robichau,
Bourque,	Horner,	MacLennan,	St. Père,
Buchanan,	Hushion,	Marcotte,	Sinclair,
Chapais	Johnston,	McDonald	Tanner,
(Sir Thomas),	King,	(Shediac),	Vaillancourt,
Copp,	Lacasse,	McGuire,	Vien,
			White.

PRAYERS.

On motion of the Honourable Senator King, it was—

Ordered, That Rule 24 (b) be suspended in so far as it relates to the following Bills:—

Bill (132), intituled: "An Act for granting to His Majesty aid for National Defence and Security."

Bill (136), intituled: "An Act to authorize the provision of moneys to meet certain capital expenditures made and capital indebtedness incurred by the Canadian National Railways System during the calendar year 1944, and to authorize the guarantee by His Majesty of certain securities to be issued by the Canadian National Railway Company."

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that he had received a communication from the Assistant Secretary to the Governor General.

The same was then read by the Honourable the Speaker, as follows:—

23rd June, 1944.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNOR GENERAL

SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that the Honourable Thibaudeau Rinfret, Chief Justice of Canada, acting as Deputy of His Excellency the Governor General, will proceed to the Senate Chamber on Friday, the 23rd June, at 5.50 p.m., for the purpose of giving the Royal Assent to certain Bills.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

F. L. C. PEREIRA,

Assistant Secretary to the Governor General.

The Honourable

The Speaker of the Senate,
Ottawa.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Honourable Senator Black from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (136), intituled: "An Act to authorize the provision of moneys to meet certain capital expenditures made and capital indebtedness incurred by the Canadian National Railways System during the calendar year 1944, and to authorize the guarantee by His Majesty of certain securities to be issued by the Canadian National Railway Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment."

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

The Honourable Senator Sinclair from the Standing Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the Bill (132), intituled: "An Act for granting to His Majesty aid for National Defence and Security," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill.

The Honourable Senator King laid on the Table:

Naval Orders 3678-3700, dated 3rd June, 1944, and Naval Orders 3701-3715, dated 10th June, 1944.

Pursuant to the Orders of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and first to the one hundred and seventh Reports of the Standing Committee on Divorce.

The said Reports were, on division, severally adopted.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (83), intituled: "An Act to establish a Department of Veterans' Affairs," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (112), intituled: "An Act respecting The Naval Service of Canada," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (135), intituled: "An Act to provide regulations enabling Canadian War Service electors to exercise their franchise, and Canadian prisoners of war to vote by proxy, at any general election held during the present war, also to provide amendments to *The Dominion Elections Act, 1938*, consequential to such regulations, or made necessary by the advent of the said war," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce presented to the Senate the following Bills:—

Bill (D-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Eugène Charron.

Bill (E-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lillian Bessie Noall Salmon."

Bill (F-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Joan Helen Gorham Glover."

Bill (G-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Elsie Hollingsworth."

Bill (H-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Louis Joseph Jules Laurencelle."

Bill (I-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Freda Altman Scheien."

Bill (J-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ivan Walter Moore."

The said Bills were, on division, severally read the first time.

Ordered, That they be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading at the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (137), intituled: "An Act respecting Surplus Crown Assets," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator David—

That this House, acknowledging the teaching of History as one of the fundamentals of patriotism in every country, and anxious to develop a better and more understanding Canadian patriotism, expresses the wish that at the Interprovincial Conference to be held in Ottawa, in the near future, the Delegates representing the nine Provinces of our Confederation may be pleased to appoint a Committee composed of the most impartial and competent Historians as such recognized in each Province, with the mission of preparing a text book of Canadian History that could be accepted and adopted by all Provincial Governments in all schools under their direct or indirect jurisdiction or control.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate on the said motion be adjourned until the next sitting of the Senate.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion of the Honourable Senator King, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday, next, at eight o'clock in the evening.

The Senate adjourned during pleasure.

The Senate resumed.

The Senate adjourned during pleasure.

After a while the Honourable Thibaudeau Rinfret, acting as Deputy of His Excellency the Governor General, having come and being seated at the foot of the Throne,

The Honourable the Speaker commanded the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod to proceed to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that—

"It is the Honourable the Deputy Governor General's desire that they attend him immediately in the Senate Chamber."

The House of Commons being come.

The Clerk read the titles of the Bills to be assented to, as follows:—

An Act respecting Gore District Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

An Act to incorporate Wesleyan Methodist Church of America in Canada.

- An Act respecting a certain patent application of Claude H. Peters.
An Act respecting The New Brunswick Railway Company.
An Act for the relief of Theodore Zalopany.
An Act for the relief of Thelma Alice Warren Whittet.
An Act for the relief of Ethel Sangster Muir.
An Act for the relief of Kiril John Christo.
An Act for the relief of Helaine Ethel Leopold Lax.
An Act for the relief of Cecil Benjamin Pomeroy.
An Act for the relief of Paul Sanson White.
An Act for the relief of Mary Hope Beers Ross.
An Act for the relief of Wasyl Usypchuk, otherwise known as William Usypchuk.
An Act for the relief of Walter Stanley Spencer.
An Act for the relief of Emma Gertrude Groves Morris.
An Act for the relief of Gertrude Margaret Amy Ogilvie.
An Act for the relief of Myrtle Josephine Teel Odell.
An Act for the relief of Marjorie Helen Parker Leduc.
An Act for the relief of Margaret Derry Kirby.
An Act for the relief of George Thomas Bragger.
An Act for the relief of Freda Watson Norman Daniels.
An Act for the relief of Iris Mabel Dash Wilkinson.
An Act for the relief of Thomas Henry Dwyer.
An Act for the relief of Elsie Margaret Ormandy Henderson.
An Act for the relief of Arthur Charles Duffy.
An Act for the relief of Kathleen Edna Ellis Wainwright.
An Act for the relief of Diana Lenore Carsley Tenenhouse.
An Act for the relief of Charlotte Muriel Wright.
An Act for the relief of Sarah Carmichael Hay Johnston.
An Act for the relief of Margaret Georgina Isabel Townsend Mansfield.
An Act for the relief of Pasquale Di Guglielmo.
An Act for the relief of Theodora B. Ostlund Fruitier.
An Act for the relief of Erna Warthold Langlois.
An Act for the relief of Ruth Steinwold Lauer.
An Act for the relief of George Hodgson Fisher.
An Act for the relief of Molly Gurevitch Gladman.
An Act for the relief of Julia Menard Mills.
An Act for the relief of Vera Esteri Seppala Vuorimies.
An Act for the relief of Violet Magdalen Johnson Overall.
An Act for the relief of Edna Lyall Burgess Lambert.
An Act for the relief of Barbara Hellen Smith Doods.
An Act for the relief of Ellen Margaret Doris Sheehan Décary.
An Act for the relief of Kathleen O'Raw Major.
An Act for the relief of Vernon Oswald Marquez.
An Act for the relief of Wilson Allan Martin.
An Act for the relief of Victoria May Larkin Kirkealdy.
An Act for the relief of Nellie Blinkhorn Cowie.
An Act for the relief of William Mace.
An Act for the relief of Pauline Hislop Ralph.
An Act for the relief of Ethel Mary Moffatt Shaw.
An Act for the relief of Alfreda Elsie Hatch Carpenter.
An Act for the relief of Rachel Segal Kaparofsky.
An Act for the relief of Paul Lapointe.
An Act for the relief of Vera Grace Percy Moore.
An Act for the relief of Jean Fernand Georges Robitaille.
An Act for the relief of Marie Stella Gisele Payette MacRae.
An Act for the relief of Horace Henry Chapman.

An Act for the relief of Florence Berger Bassin.
An Act for the relief of Roland Edouard Levert.
An Act for the relief of William Cowie.
An Act for the relief of Nita Marjorie Hammerich Ward.
An Act for the relief of Margaret Kirschen Brown MacRae.
An Act for the relief of Margaretha Bernhard Cronauer.
An Act for the relief of Henry Rattigan.
An Act for the relief of Margaret Millar Short.
An Act for the relief of Mary Annesley Iverson.
An Act for the relief of Annie Drewniak Sonberg.
An Act for the relief of Celia Zlatkes Azeff.
An Act for the relief of Louisa O'Tool Shelley.
An Act for the relief of Miriam Schwartz Silcoff.
An Act to incorporate Fundy Air Lines.

An Act to incorporate The Executive Board of The Canada Conference of The Evangelical Lutheran Augustana Synod of North America.

An Act to authorize the provision of moneys to meet certain capital expenditures made and capital indebtedness incurred by the Canadian National Railways System during the calendar year 1944, and to authorize the guarantee by His Majesty of certain securities to be issued by the Canadian National Railway Company.

To these Bills the Royal Assent was pronounced by the Clerk of the Senate in the following words:—

"In His Majesty's name, the Honourable the Deputy Governor General doth assent to these Bills."

The Honourable the Speaker of the Commons then addressed the Honourable the Deputy Governor General, as follows:—

"MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

"The Commons of Canada have voted supplies required to enable the Government to defray certain expenses of the Public Service.

"In the name of the Commons, I present to Your Honour the following Bills:—

An Act to amend The War Appropriation (United Nations Mutual Aid) Act, 1943, and for granting to His Majesty aid for the purposes of the said Act.

An Act for granting to His Majesty aid for National Defence and Security.

"To which Bills I humbly request Your Honour's assent."

After the Clerk had read the titles of these Bills.

To these Bills the Royal Assent was pronounced by the Clerk of the Senate in the following words:—

"In His Majesty's name, the Honourable the Deputy Governor General thanks His Loyal Subjects, accepts their benevolence, and assents to these Bills."

After which the Honourable the Deputy Governor General was pleased to retire.

The Commons withdrew.

The Senate resumed.

The Senate adjourned until Tuesday, next, the twenty-seventh day of June, at eight o'clock in the evening.

No. 31

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Tuesday, 27th June, 1944

8 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Daigle,	King,	Michener,
Aylesworth	Davies,	Lambert,	Molloy,
(Sir Allen),	Duff,	Lacasse,	Moraud,
Beaubien	Duffus,	Leger,	Murdock,
(Montarville),	DuTremblay,	Macdonald	Paquet,
Beaubien (St. Jean	Euler,	(Richmond-West	Paterson,
Baptiste),	Fafard,	Cape Breton),	Raymond,
Beauregard,	Fallis,	Macdonald	Riley,
Black,	Farris,	(Cardigan),	Robicheau,
Bouchard,	Griesbach,	MacLennan,	St. Père,
Bourque,	Haig,	Marcotte,	Sinclair,
Buchanan,	Hayden,	Marshall,	Sutherland,
Calder,	Horner,	McDonald	Tanner,
Chapais	Howard,	(Shediac),	Vien,
(Sir Thomas),	Johnston,	McGuire,	White,
Copp,	Jones,	McIntyre,	Wilson.

PRAYERS.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and eighth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 27th June, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and eighth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Everett Roy Clow, of the village of Murray Harbour North, in the province of Prince Edward Island, farmer, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Mary Eva White Clow, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,

Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and ninth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 27th June, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and ninth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Elmore MacLean MacKay, of the village of Stanley Bridge, in the county of Queens, in the province of Prince Edward Island, farmer, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Josephine Mildred MacKay, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects, except Rule 140 respecting payment of the Parliamentary fees.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be remitted, subject to payment of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,

Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (82), intituled: "An Act to establish a Department of Reconstruction," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (147), intituled: "An Act to amend the Bank Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (148), intituled: "An Act to amend the Quebec Savings Banks Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Senator King laid on the table:—

Annual Report of the National Harbours Board for the calendar year 1943. (English and French editions.)

Report on Proceedings under the Prairie Farm Rehabilitation Act for the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1943.

Copy of Treaty between Canada and the Republic of China concerning the relinquishment of Extra/Territorial Rights and the regulation of related matters, with exchange of Notes, signed at Ottawa, 14th April, 1944. (French version.)

Pursuant to the Orders of the Day, the following Bills were, on division, severally read the second time:—

Bill (D-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Eugène Charron.

Bill (E-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lillian Bessie Noall Salmon."

Bill (F-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Joan Helen Gorham Glover."

Bill (G-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Elsie Hollingsworth."

Bill (H-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Louis Joseph Jules Laurencelle."

Bill (I-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Freda Altman Scheien."

Bill (J-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ivan Walter Moore."

Ordered, That the said Bills be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (83), intituled: "An Act to establish a Department of Veterans Affairs," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (112), intituled: "An Act respecting The Naval Service of Canada," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (135), intituled: "An Act to provide regulations enabling Canadian War Service electors to exercise their franchise, and Canadian prisoners of war to vote by proxy, at any general election held during the present war, also to provide amendments to *The Dominion Elections Act, 1938*, consequential to such regulations, or made necessary by the advent of the said war," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for resuming the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator David—

That this House, acknowledging the teaching of History as one of the fundamentals of patriotism in every country, and anxious to develop a better and more understanding Canadian patriotism, expresses the wish that at the Interprovincial Conference to be held in Ottawa, in the near future, the Delegates representing the nine Provinces of our Confederation may be pleased to appoint a Committee composed of the most impartial and competent Historians as such recognized in each Province, with the mission of preparing a text book of Canadian History that could be accepted and adopted by all Provincial Governments in all schools under their direct or indirect jurisdiction or control.

It was Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 32

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Wednesday, 28th June, 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Daigle,	Johnston,	McGuire,
Aylesworth	David,	Jones,	McIntyre,
(Sir Allen),	Davies,	King,	Michener,
Beaubien	Duff,	Lacasse,	Molloy,
(Montarville),	Duffus,	Lambert,	Moraud,
Beaubien (St. Jean	DuTremblay,	Leger,	Murdock,
Baptiste),	Euler,	Lesage,	Paquet,
Beauregard,	Fafard,	Macdonald	Raymond,
Bench,	Fallis,	(Richmond-West	Riley,
Black,	Farris,	Cape Breton),	Robicheau,
Bouchard,	Griesbach,	Macdonald	St. Père,
Bourque,	Haig,	(Cardigan),	Sinclair,
Buchanan,	Harmer,	MacLennan,	Sutherland,
Calder,	Hayden,	Marcotte,	Tanner,
Chapais	Horner,	Marshall,	Vaillancourt,
(Sir Thomas),	Howard,	McDonald	Vien,
Copp,	Hushion,	(Shediac),	White,
			Wilson.

PRAYERS.

Pursuant to the Orders of the Day, the following Bills were, on division, severally read the third time:—

Bill (D-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Eugène Charron.

Bill (E-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lillian Bessie Noall Salmon."

Bill (F-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Joan Helen Gorham Glover."

Bill (G-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Elsie Hollingsworth."

Bill (H-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Louis Joseph Jules Laurencelle."

Bill (I-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Freda Altman Scheien."

Bill (J-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ivan Walter Moore."

The question was put whether these Bills shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed these Bills, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (82), intituled: "An Act to establish a Department of Reconstruction," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (147), intituled: "An Act to amend the Bank Act," was read the second time.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (148), intituled: "An Act to amend the Quebec Savings Banks Act," was read the second time.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Orders of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the one hundred and eighth and one hundred and ninth Reports of the Standing Committee on Divorce.

The said Reports were, on division, adopted.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce presented to the Senate the following Bills:—

Bill (K-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Everett Roy Clow."

Bill (L-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Elmore MacLean MacKay."

The said Bills were, on division, severally read the first time.

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That they be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (112), intituled: "An Act respecting The Naval Service of Canada," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Honourable Senator King moved that the Bill (135), intituled: "An Act to provide regulations enabling Canadian War Service electors to exercise their franchise, and Canadian prisoners of war to vote by proxy, at any general election held during the present war, also to provide amendments to *The Dominion Elections Act, 1938*, consequential to such regulations, or made necessary by the advent of the said war," be now read a second time.

After debate,

The said Bill was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The Order of the Day being called for resuming the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator David—

That this House, acknowledging the teaching of History as one of the fundamentals of patriotism in every country, and anxious to develop a better and more understanding Canadian patriotism, expresses the wish that at the Interprovincial Conference to be held in Ottawa, in the near future, the Delegates representing the nine Provinces of our Confederation may be pleased to appoint a Committee composed of the most impartial and competent Historians as such recognized in each Province, with the mission of preparing a text book of Canadian History that could be accepted and adopted by all Provincial Governments in all schools under their direct or indirect jurisdiction or control.

It was Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 33

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Thursday, 29th June, 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	David,	Jones,	McIntyre,
Aylesworth	Davies,	King,	Michener,
(Sir Allen),	Duff,	Lacasse,	Molloy,
Beaubien	Duffus,	Lambert,	Morand,
(Montarville),	DuTremblay,	Leger,	Murdock,
Beaubien (St. Jean	Euler,	Lesage,	Paquet,
Baptiste),	Fafard,	Macdonald	Riley,
Beauregard,	Fallis,	(Richmond-West	Robicheau,
Bench,	Farris,	Cape Breton),	St. Père,
Black,	Griesbach,	Macdonald	Sinclair,
Bouchard,	Haig,	(Cardigan),	Sutherland,
Bourque,	Harmer,	MacLennan,	Tanner,
Buchanan,	Hayden,	Marcotte,	Vaillancourt,
Calder,	Horner,	Marshall,	Vien,
Chapais	Howard,	McDonald	White,
(Sir Thomas),	Hushion,	(Shédiac),	Wilson.
Copp,	Johnston,	McGuire,	

PRAYERS.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (139), intituled: "An Act to amend the Criminal Code," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that he had received a communication from the Assistant Secretary to the Governor General.

The same was then read by the Honourable the Speaker, as follows:—

28th June, 1944.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNOR GENERAL

SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that the Honourable Thibaudeau Rinfret, Chief Justice of Canada, acting as Deputy of His Excellency the Governor General, will proceed to the Senate Chamber on Friday, the 30th June, at 5.50 p.m., for the purpose of giving the Royal Assent to certain Bills.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

F. L. C. PEREIRA,

Assistant Secretary to the Governor General.

The Honourable
The Speaker of the Senate,
Ottawa.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Honourable Senator Black from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (135) intituled: "An Act to provide regulations enabling Canadian War Service electors to exercise their franchise, and Canadian prisoners of war to vote by proxy, at any general election held during the present war, also to provide amendments to *The Dominion Elections Act, 1938*, consequential to such regulations, or made necessary by the advent of the said war," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with two amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

1. Page 2, line 6. After "disqualified" insert "at the time of the passing of this Act".

2. Page 3, line 10. After "two," insert "five,".

Ordered, that the said amendments be taken into consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable Senator Black from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (83), intituled: "An Act to establish a Department of Veterans Affairs," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with two amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

1. Page 2, line 34. Leave out "such".

2. Page 5, line 17. Insert the following as clause 10 and renumber subsequent clauses:—

"10. The Minister shall annually lay before Parliament, within fifteen days after the meeting thereof, a report and statement of the transactions and affairs of the Department during the year then next preceding."

The said amendments were concurred in, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill, as amended, was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with two amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honourable Senator Black from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (137), intituled: "An Act respecting Surplus Crown Assets," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with one amendment, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendment was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

Page 4, line 9. For "had" substitute "has".

The said amendment was concurred in, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill, as amended, was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with one amendment, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honourable Senator King laid on the Table:—

Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the War Measures Act during the months of March, April and May, 1944. (English and French.)

Pursuant to the Orders of the Day, the following Bills were, on division, severally read the second time.

Bill (K-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Everett Roy Clow."

Bill (L-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Elmore MacLean MacKay."

Ordered, That they be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Honourable Senator King moved that the Bill (82), intituled: "An Act to establish a Department of Reconstruction," be now read the second time.

After debate,

The said Bill was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (112), intituled: "An Act respecting The Naval Service of Canada," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator David—

That this House, acknowledging the teaching of History as one of the fundamentals of patriotism in every country, and anxious to develop a better and more understanding Canadian patriotism, expresses the wish that at the Interprovincial Conference to be held in Ottawa, in the near future, the Delegates representing the nine Provinces of our Confederation may be pleased to appoint a Committee composed of the most impartial and competent Historians as such recognized in each Province, with the mission of preparing a text book of Canadian History that could be accepted and adopted by all Provincial Governments in all schools under their direct or indirect jurisdiction or control.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate on the said motion be adjourned until to-morrow.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion of the Honourable Senator King, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until tomorrow at four o'clock in the afternoon.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 34

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Friday, 30th June, 1944

4 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Euler,	Lacasse,	Molloy,
Beaubien (St. Jean	Fafard,	Lambert,	Murdock,
Baptiste),	Farris,	Leger,	Paquet,
Bench,	Griesbach,	Macdonald	Riley,
Black,	Haig,	(Richmond-West	Robicheau,
Bourque,	Harmer,	Cape Breton),	St. Père,
Buchanan,	Hayden,	Macdonald	Sinclair,
Calder,	Horner,	(Cardigan),	Sutherland,
Copp,	Howard,	MacLennan,	Tanner,
Davies,	Hushion,	Marcotte,	Vien,
Duff,	Johnston,	McIntyre,	White,
Duffus,	King,	Michener,	Wilson.

PRAYERS.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion of the Honourable Senator King, it was—

Ordered, That the address by the Honourable Peter Fraser, Prime Minister of New Zealand, to members of both Houses of Parliament, on this day, the 30th June, 1944, and the other addresses delivered on that occasion, be printed as an appendix to the Official Report of the Debates of the Senate, and form part of the permanent records of this House.

The Honourable Senator White from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (82), intituled: "An Act to establish a Department of Reconstruction," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with several amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

1. Page 3, lines 36 to 44. For clause 8 substitute the following:—

"8. Any member of the Civil Service transferred to the Department from some other department shall not forfeit any of the rights and privileges appertaining to a civil servant because of such transfer and, on ceasing to be employed by the Department for any reason other than misconduct, shall be eligible, without loss of seniority or pension or other rights, for assignment to a position in the Civil Service of the class held in the Department, or to any other position for which he may have qualified."

2. Page 4, lines 20 to 24. For subclause (1) of clause 10 substitute the following:—

"10. (1) No person who obtains, under or by virtue of this Act, information in relation to the business of any other person, shall, without the consent of such person, disclose or allow to be disclosed to anyone not legally entitled thereto, any information so obtained, in such manner as to be identifiable as being in relation to the business of such person."

3. Page 4, line 30. After "Minister" insert "under the provisions of this Act,".

The said amendments were concurred in, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill, as amended, was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with several amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honourable Senator White from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (112), intituled: "An Act respecting The Naval Service of Canada," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with several amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

1. Page 1, line 8. Insert the following as new paragraph (b) and reletter subsequent paragraphs:—

“(L) ‘Commander-in-Chief’ means an officer appointed as such to the chief command of a fleet, squadron, or station, or, in the case of any station for which no officer has been so appointed, the Chief of the Naval Staff;”

2. Page 1, lines 22 and 23. For paragraph (f) (New (g)) substitute the following:—

“(g) ‘man’ means a person in the Naval Forces holding a rating of or below chief petty officer;”

3. Page 17, line 10. After “Ships,” insert “or other ships in the Naval Service,”.

The question being put for the consideration of the said amendments,

With leave of the Senate,

The Honourable Senator Duff moved that the said amendments be not now taken into consideration, but that the Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole presently.

The question being put on the said motion, it was—

Resolved in the affirmative.

The Senate was, accordingly, adjourned during pleasure and put into a Committee of the Whole on the said Bill.

(In the Committee)

After some time the Senate was resumed, and—

The Honourable Senator Sinclair from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate,

The Senate then proceeded to the consideration of the amendments made by the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce to the said Bill.

The said amendments were concurred in, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill, as amended, was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with several amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honourable Senator King laid on the Table:—

Copy of Agreement between Canada and New Zealand on the principles applying to the provision by Canada of Canadian war supplies to New Zealand under the War Appropriation (United Nations Mutual Aid) Acts of Canada, 1943 and 1944, signed at Ottawa, 28th June, 1944. (English and French versions.)

Pursuant to the Orders of the Day the following Bills were, on division, severally read the third time:—

Bill (K-5), intituled: “An Act for the relief of Everett Roy Clow.”

Bill (L-5), intituled: “An Act for the relief of Elmore MacLean MacKay.”

The question was put whether these Bills shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed these Bills, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (139), intituled: "An Act to amend the Criminal Code," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the amendments made by the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce to the Bill (135), intituled: "An Act to provide regulations enabling Canadian War Service electors to exercise their franchise, and Canadian prisoners of war to vote by proxy, at any general election held during the present war, also to provide amendments to *The Dominion Elections Act, 1938*, consequential to such regulations, or made necessary by the advent of the said war."

The said amendments were concurred in.

With leave of the Senate,

The Honourable Senator King then moved that the said Bill, as amended, be now read a third time.

In amendment, The Honourable Senator Bench, seconded by the Honourable Senator Lambert, moved that the said Bill, as amended, be not now read a third time but that Section 5 be deleted therefrom; that, consequent upon such deletion, the subsequent sections of the Bill should be renumbered accordingly, and that Section 11 be further amended by striking out the words "and eight" where they appear in the first line thereof.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate on the said motion in amendment be adjourned until a later stage of the sitting.

The Senate adjourned during pleasure.

The Senate resumed.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (83), intituled: "An Act to establish a Department of Veterans Affairs."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Senate to the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (137), intituled: "An Act respecting Surplus Crown Assets."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have agreed to the amendment made by the Senate to the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (82), intituled: "An Act to establish a Department of Reconstruction."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Senate to the said Bill, without any amendment.

The Senate adjourned during pleasure.

After a while the Honourable Thibaudeau Rinfret, acting as Deputy of His Excellency the Governor General, having come and being seated at the foot of the Throne,

The Honourable the Speaker commanded the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod to proceed to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that—

"It is the Honourable the Deputy Governor General's desire that they attend him immediately in the Senate Chamber."

The House of Commons being come.

The Clerk read the titles of the Bills to be assented to, as follows:—

An Act to amend the Bank Act.

An Act to amend the Quebec Savings Banks Act.

An Act to establish a Department of Veterans Affairs.

An Act respecting Surplus Crown Assets.

An Act to establish a Department of Reconstruction.

To these Bills the Royal Assent was pronounced by the Clerk of the Senate in the following words:—

"In His Majesty's name, the Honourable the Deputy Governor General doth assent to these Bills."

After which the Honourable the Deputy Governor General was pleased to retire.

The Commons withdrew.

The Senate resumed.

It being six o'clock, the Honourable the Speaker left the Chair to resume the same at eight o'clock.

8 p.m.

The Senate resumed.

The Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion for the third reading of the Bill (135), intituled: "An Act to provide regulations enabling Canadian War Service electors to exercise their franchise, and Canadian prisoners of war to vote by proxy, at any general election held during the present war, also to provide amendments to *The Dominion Elections Act, 1938*, consequential to such regulations, or made necessary by the advent of the said war," as amended.

And the motion, in amendment, of the Honourable Senator Bench, seconded by the Honourable Senator Lambert.

After further debate, and—

The question being put on the motion in amendment,

The Senate divided, and the names being called for they were taken down, as follows:—

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So it was passed in the negative.

The question being put on the main motion for the third reading of the Bill, as amended.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

The said Bill, as amended, was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with two amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Order of the Day being called for resuming the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator David—

That this House, acknowledging the teaching of History as one of the fundamentals of patriotism in every country, and anxious to develop a better

and more understanding Canadian patriotism, expresses the wish that at the Interprovincial Conference to be held in Ottawa, in the near future, the Delegates representing the nine Provinces of our Confederation may be pleased to appoint a Committee composed of the most impartial and competent Historians as such recognized in each Province, with the mission of preparing a text book of Canadian History that could be accepted and adopted by all Provincial Governments in all schools under their direct or indirect jurisdiction or control.

It was Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday, the eighteenth day of July, next, at eight o'clock in the evening.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 35

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Tuesday, 18th July, 1944

8 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	David,	Howard,	McGuire,
Aylesworth	Davies,	Hugessen,	Michener,
(Sir Allen),	Donnelly,	Johnston,	Moraud,
Beaubien	Duff,	Jones,	Murdock,
(Montarville),	Duffus,	King,	Nicol,
Beauregard,	DuTremblay,	Lambert,	Riley,
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Daigle,			

PRAYERS.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that the Clerk had received a certificate from the Honourable the Secretary of State of Canada showing that Jacob Nicol, Esquire, has been summoned to the Senate.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that there was a Senator without, waiting to be introduced.

The Honourable Jacob Nicol was introduced between the Honourable Senator King and the Honourable Senator Howard, and having presented His Majesty's Writ of Summons, it was read by the Clerk, as follows:—

CANADA

ATHLONE

(L.S.)

GEORGE THE SIXTH, *by the Grace of God of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas KING, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.*

To our Trusty and Well-beloved Jacob Nicol, One of Our Counsel learned in the law, Esquire,

GREETING:

Know you, that as well for the especial trust and confidence We have manifested in you, as for the purpose of obtaining your advice and assistance in all weighty and arduous affairs which may the State and Defence of Our Dominion of Canada concern, We have thought fit to summon you to the Senate of Our said Dominion; and We do appoint you for the Bedford Electoral Division of Our Province of Quebec; and We do command you, that all difficulties and excuses whatsoever laying aside, you be and appear for the purposes aforesaid, in the Senate of Our said Dominion at all times whensoever and wheresoever Our Parliament may be in Our said Dominion convoked and holden; and this you are in no wise to omit.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed:—

WITNESS: Our Dear Uncle, Our Right Trusty and Right Well-beloved Cousin and Counsellor, Alexander Augustus Frederick George, Earl of Athlone, Knight of Our Most Noble Order of the Garter, a member of Our Most Honourable Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Grand Master of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Grand Cross of Our Royal Victorian Order, Companion of Our Distinguished Service Order, Colonel in Our Army (retired), having the honorary rank of Major-General, one of Our Personal Aides-de-Camp, Governor General and Commander-in-Chief of Our Dominion of Canada.

AT OUR GOVERNMENT HOUSE, in Our City of Ottawa, in Our Dominion of Canada, this fourteenth day of July, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-four and in the eighth year of Our Reign.

By Command,

N. A. McLARTY,
Secretary of State of Canada.

Ordered, That the same be placed upon the Journals.

The Honourable Senator Nicol came to the Table and took and subscribed the Oath prescribed by law, which was administered by the Clerk of the Senate, the Commissioner appointed for that purpose, and took his seat as a Member of the Senate.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that the Honourable Senator Nicol had made and subscribed the Declaration of Qualification required of him by *The British North America Act, 1867*, in the presence of the Clerk of the Senate, the Commissioner appointed to receive and witness the same.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk in the following words:—

MONDAY, 3rd July, 1944.

Resolved,— That a Message be sent to the Senate informing their Honours that:

- (a) The Standing Committee on Standing Orders of the House of Commons have considered a petition of Ruth Usher Garson praying that Senate Bill (W-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ruth Usher Garson", and passed by the Senate last session, be placed on the Order Paper of the House of Commons for first reading at this session;
- (b) The Standing Orders Committee recommends that the said Bill be placed on the Order Paper for first reading, without penalty charges, after the Senate will have sent to this House a Message stating that the said Bill has been passed during the present session;
- (c) The House of Commons has concurred in the said recommendation of the Standing Orders Committee.

Attest.

ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE,
Clerk of the Commons.

Ordered, That the said Message be taken into consideration on Thursday, next.

Messages were brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the following Bills, and to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bills, without any amendment, viz:—

Bill (L), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Pinnie Rosenhek Leopold."

Bill (Y), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Joseph Ulrie Edouard Burns."

Bill (N-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Goldie Anker Lazanik."

Bill (V-2), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Adélard Bélanger."

Bill (S-3), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Alice Robert Rajotte."

Bill (F-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Frances Eleanor Campbell Coleman."

Bill (G-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of George Igaz."

Bill (H-4), intituled: An Act for the relief of of John William Frank Draper."

Bill (I-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Sam Sokoloff."

Bill (J-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Léon LeBrun."

Bill (K-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of William Taffert."

Bill (L-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Belle Bailey Leibovitch."

Bill (M-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Gertie Shulman Friedman."

Bill (N-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Sarah Slutsky Shapiro."

Bill (O-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Jessie Dickson Mackie Toy."

Bill (P-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Angele Pauline Edgar Marie Lambert Choux."

Bill (Q-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Margaret Kathleen Hollenbeck Fortin."

Bill (R-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Hulda Van Koughnet Lynch-Staunton."

Bill (S-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of James MacMillan McHale."

Bill (T-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Vernon Ross Aiken."

Bill (U-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Frederick Richard Channon."

Bill (V-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ernest Charles Hazard."

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk in the following words:—

MONDAY, 3rd July, 1944.

Resolved,—That a Message be sent to the Senate to return to that House the evidence, etc., taken before the Standing Committee of the Senate on Divorce, to whom were referred the petitions of Pinnie Rosenhek Leopold, Joseph Ulric Edouard Burns, Goldie Anker Lazanik, Adélard Bélanger, Alice Robert Rajotte, Frances Eleanor Campbell Coleman, George Igaz, John William Frank Draper, Sam Sokoloff, Léon LeBrun, William Taffert, Belle Bailey Leibovitch, Gertie Shulman Friedman, Sarah Slutsky Shapiro, Jessie Dickson Mackie Toy, Angele Pauline Edgar Marie Lambert Choux, Margaret Kathleen Hollenbeck, Fortin, Hulda Van Koughnet Lynch-Staunton, James MacMillan McHale, Vernon Ross Aiken, Frederick Richard Channon and Ernest Charles Hazard, respectively praying for Bills of Divorce; and the papers produced in evidence before them.

Ordered,—That the Clerk of the House do carry the said Message to the Senate.

Attest.

ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE,

Clerk of the Commons.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (T-3), intituled: "An Act respecting The General Missionary Society of the German Baptist Churches of North America, and to change its name to The North American Baptist General Missionary Society."

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (112), intituled: "An Act respecting The Naval Service of Canada,"

And to acquaint the Senate that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Senate to the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (135), intituled: "An Act to provide regulations enabling Canadian War Service Electors to exercise their franchise, and Canadian prisoners of war to vote by proxy, at any general election held during the present war, also to provide amendments to *The Dominion Elections Act, 1938*, consequential to such regulations, or made necessary by the advent of the said war,"

And to acquaint the Senate that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Senate to the said Bill with a consequential amendment to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said consequential amendment was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

Page 2, Line 6. After the words "at the time of the passing of this Act", inserted after the word "disqualified", being the first Senate amendment, add the following words:

"namely, July 1, 1938, and on the date of the declaration of such war, resided in a province in which on those dates"; and that as a consequence for greater clarity, paragraph (n) of the said section be made to read as follows:

'Every person residing in Canada whose racial origin is that of a country at war with Canada, who, at the time of the passing of this Act, namely July 1st, 1938, and on the date of the declaration of such war, resided in a Province in which on those dates a person of his racial origin was disqualified from voting at an election of a member of the Legislative Assembly of that Province, and who did not serve in the naval, military or air forces of Canada in the war of 1914-1918 or in any subsequent war in which Canada may be engaged.'

Ordered, That the said consequential amendment be taken into consideration to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (160), intituled: "An Act to amend the Salaries Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (149), intituled: "An Act to establish a Department of National Health and Welfare," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (159), intituled: "An Act respecting a certain Tax Convention between Canada and the United States of America, signed at Ottawa, in the Dominion of Canada, on the Eighth day of June, 1944," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (133), intituled: "An Act to amend the Aeronautics Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (101), intituled: "An Act to amend The Transport Act, 1938," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The following petition was presented:—

By the Honourable the Acting Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce:—

Of Charlotte Muriel Wright, of the village of Low, Quebec; praying for refund of the Parliamentary fees paid upon her petition for a Bill of Divorce.

The Honourable Senator King laid on the Table:—

Copy of Order in Council P.C. 5130, dated 6th July, 1944, amending the National Selective Service Civilian Regulations.

Copy of Order in Council P.C. 5419, dated 14th July, 1944, amending the National Selective Service Civilian Regulations, *re* coal mine workers.

Naval Orders 3716-3731, dated 17th June, 1944.

Naval Orders 3732-3743, dated 24th June, 1944.

Naval Orders 3744-3756, dated 1st July, 1944.

Naval Orders 3757-3772, dated 8th July, 1944.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion of the Honourable Senator King, it was—

Ordered, That the address which General Charles de Gaulle delivered on Parliament Hill on the 11th July, 1944, and the other addresses delivered on that occasion be included as an appendix to the official Report of the Debates of the Senate, and form part of the permanent records of this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (139), intituled: "An Act to amend the Criminal Code," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator David—

That this House, acknowledging the teaching of History as one of the fundamentals of patriotism in every country, and anxious to develop a better and more understanding Canadian patriotism, expresses the wish that at the Interprovincial Conference to be held in Ottawa, in the near future, the Delegates

representing the nine Provinces of our Confederation may be pleased to appoint a Committee composed of the most impartial and competent Historians as such recognized in each Province, with the mission of preparing a text book of Canadian History that could be accepted and adopted by all Provincial Governments in all schools under their direct or indirect jurisdiction or control.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate on the said motion be adjourned until to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 36

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Wednesday, 19th July, 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Daigle,	Hardy,	McDonald
Aylesworth	David,	Hayden,	(Shediac),
(Sir Allen),	Davies,	Howard,	McGuire,
Beaubien	Donnelly,	Hugessen,	Moraud,
(Montarville),	Duff,	Hushion,	Murdock,
Beauregard,	Duffus,	Johnston,	Nicol,
Bench,	DuTremblay,	Jones,	Riley,
Black,	Euler,	King,	Robertson,
Blais,	Fafard,	Lambert,	St. Père,
Bouchard,	Fallis,	Leger,	Sinclair,
Bourque,	Farris,	Lesage,	Smith,
Calder,	Foster,	Macdonald	Tanner,
Campbell,	Gouin,	(Cardigan),	Vaillancourt,
Chapais	Griesbach,	MacLennan,	Vien,
(Sir Thomas),	Haig,	Marcotte,	White,
Copp,		Marshall,	Wilson.

PRAYERS.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the consequential amendment made by the House of Commons to the Bill (135), intituled: "An Act to provide regulations enabling Canadian War Service electors to exercise their franchise and Canadian prisoners of war to vote by proxy, at any general election held during the present war, also to provide amendments to *The Dominion Elections Act, 1938*, consequential to such regulations, or made necessary by the advent of the said war."

After debate,

The said consequential amendment was concurred in.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate has agreed to the consequential amendment made by the House of Commons to the said Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day the Bill (160), intituled: "An Act to amend the Salaries Act," was read the second time.

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion of the Honourable Senator David:—

That this House, acknowledging the teaching of History as one of the fundamentals of patriotism in every country, and anxious to develop a better and more understanding Canadian patriotism, expresses the wish that at the Interprovincial Conference to be held in Ottawa, in the near future, the Delegates representing the nine Provinces of our Confederation may be pleased to appoint a Committee composed of the most impartial and competent Historians as such recognized in each Province, with the mission of preparing a text book of Canadian History that could be accepted and adopted by all Provincial Governments in all schools under their direct or indirect jurisdiction or control.

After further debate, and—

The question being put on the said motion,

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (149), intituled: "An Act to establish a Department of National Health and Welfare," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (159), intituled: "An Act respecting a certain Tax Convention between Canada and the United States of America, signed at Ottawa, in the Dominion of Canada, on the Eighth day of June, 1944," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (133), intituled: "An Act to amend the Aeronautics Act," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (101), intituled: "An Act to amend The Transport Act, 1938," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 37

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Thursday, 20th July, 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Daigle,	Hardy,	Marcotte,
Aylesworth	David,	Harmer,	McDonald
(Sir Allen),	Davies,	Hayden,	(Shediac),
Beaubien	Donnelly,	Howard,	McGuire,
(Montarville),	Duff,	Hugessen,	Morand,
Beauregard,	Duffus,	Hushion,	Murdoch,
Bench,	DuTremblay,	Johnston,	Nicol,
Black,	Euler,	Jones,	Riley,
Blais,	Fafard,	King,	St. Père,
Bourque,	Fallis,	Lambert,	Sinclair,
Calder,	Farris,	Leger,	Smith,
Campbell,	Foster,	Lesage,	Tanner,
Chapais	Gouin,	Macdonald	Vaillancourt,
(Sir Thomas),	Griesbach,	(Cardigan),	Vien,
Copp,	Haig,	MacLennan,	White,
			Wilson.

PRAYERS.

The Honourable Senator Black, from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (139), intituled: "An Act to amend the Criminal Code," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with one amendment, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendment was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

Page 2. Add to the Bill as clause 5 thereof, the following:—

"5. Paragraph (a) of section seven hundred and fifty of the said Act is amended by adding at the end thereof the following:—

'Provided further that in the province of Quebec in the judicial districts where terms are not fixed by proclamation of the Lieutenant Governor the sittings of the Superior Court shall, for the purposes of this section, be deemed to commence, save during legal vacation periods, on the first day of each week;'"

The said amendment was concurred in.

Ordered, That the said Bill, as amended, be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading at the next sitting of the Senate.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion of the Honourable Senator King, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Monday, next, the twenty-fourth day of July, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Honourable Senator King moved that the Bill (159), intituled: "An Act respecting a certain Tax Convention between Canada and the United States of America, signed at Ottawa, in the Dominion of Canada, on the Eighth day of June, 1944," be now read a second time.

After debate,

The said Bill was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Honourable Senator King moved that the Bill (160), intituled: "An Act to amend the Salaries Act," be now read a third time.

With leave of the Senate, The Honourable Senator Leger moved, in amendment, that the said Bill be not now read a second time but that it be committed to a Committee of the Whole presently.

The question being put on the motion in amendment, it was—

Resolved in the affirmative.

The Senate was, accordingly, adjourned during pleasure and put into a Committee of the Whole on the said Bill.

(In the Committee)

After some time the Senate was resumed, and—

The Honourable Senator Sinclair from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

The question being again put on the motion for the third reading of the Bill, it was—

Resolved in the affirmative.

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

The Order of the Day being called for the second reading of the Bill (149), intituled: "An Act to establish a Department of National Health and Welfare," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Honourable Senator King moved that the Bill (133), intituled: "An Act to amend the Aeronautics Act," be now read a second time.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate on the said motion be adjourned until the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (101), intituled: "An Act to amend The Transport Act, 1938," was read the second time.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the Message from the House of Commons with respect to Bill (W-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ruth Usher Garson," passed by the Senate during the last session of Parliament.

On motion of the Honourable Senator Copp, it was—

Ordered, That the said Message be referred to the Standing Committee on Divorce.

The Senate adjourned until Monday, next, the twenty-fourth day of July, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

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JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Monday, 24th July, 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Duff,	King,	Murdock,
Beaubien	Duffus,	Leger,	Riley,
(Montarville),	Fafard,	Macdonald	St. Père,
Beauregard,	Farris,	(Cardigan),	Sinclair,
Black,	Griesbach,	MacLennan,	Tanner,
Blais,	Haig,	Marcotte,	Vien,
Bouchard,	Harmer,	Marshall,	White,
Bourque,	Hugessen,	McDonald	Wilson.
Copp,	Johnston,	(Shediac),	
Davies,			

PRAYERS.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (164), intituled: "An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the public service of the financial year ending 31st March, 1945," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the second and third times.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that he had received a communication from the Assistant Secretary to the Governor General.

The same was then read by the Honourable the Speaker, as follows:—

20th July, 1944.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNOR GENERAL

SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that the Honourable Thibaudeau Rinfret, Chief Justice of Canada, acting as Deputy to His Excellency the Governor General, will proceed to the Senate Chamber on Monday, the 24th July, at 5.45 p.m., for the purpose of giving the Royal Assent to certain Bills.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

F. L. C. PEREIRA,

Assistant Secretary to the Governor General.

The Honourable
The Speaker of the Senate,
Ottawa.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and tenth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 21st July, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and tenth Report, as follows:—

The Committee recommend:—

1. That the time limited for receiving petitions for Bills of divorce be extended to Wednesday, the 26th July, 1944.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,

Acting Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and eleventh Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 21st July, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and eleventh Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Ruth Usher Garson, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, secretary, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Benjamin Alexander Garson, presented to the Senate during the last Session of Parliament.

2. The Committee have in obedience to the Order of Reference of 20th July, 1944, considered the Message from the House of Commons, as follows:—

“Resolved that a Message be sent to the Senate informing their Honours that:—

- (a) The Standing Committee on Standing Orders of the House of Commons have considered a petition of Ruth Usher Garson praying that Senate Bill W-4 intituled: “An Act for the relief of Ruth Usher Garson,” and passed by the Senate last session, be placed on the Order Paper of the House of Commons for first reading at this session;
- (b) The Standing Orders Committee recommends that the said Bill be placed on the Order Paper for first reading, without penalty charges, after the Senate will have sent to this House a Message stating that the said Bill has been passed during the present session;
- (c) The House of Commons has concurred in the said recommendation of the Standing Orders Committee.”

3. The Committee again recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage based on the evidence adduced before the Committee at the last Session of Parliament.

4. Inasmuch as the proceedings in this matter will be resumed in the House of Commons from the point where they were suspended during the last Session, the Committee recommend that Rules 135 and 140 be suspended in so far as they relate to the present proceedings.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and twelfth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 21st July, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and twelfth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Charlotte Muriel Wright, of the village of Low, in the province of Quebec; praying for refund of the Parliamentary fees paid upon her petition for a Bill of divorce.

2. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees paid under Rule 140 be refunded to the petitioner, less the sum of \$100.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,

Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and thirteenth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 21st July, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred thirteenth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Albert Daniel Joseph Doherty, of the city of Quebec, in the province of Quebec, farmer, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Mirian Eva Pratt Doherty, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,

Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and fourteenth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 21st July, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and fourteenth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Rosie Vogel Blatt, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Jacob Blatt, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

3. The Committee recommend that the Parliamentary fees payable under Rule 140 be reduced to \$100, and that the sum of \$50 overpayment be refunded to the petitioner.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,

Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and fifteenth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 21st July, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and fifteenth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of William McKenzie White, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, circulation manager, for an Act to dissolve his marriage with Agnes White, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,

Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and sixteenth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

FRIDAY, 21st July, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred sixteenth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Zoe Irene McFarland Craig, of the city of Windsor, in the province of Ontario, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Alexander Joseph Mendez Craig, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. M. ASELTINE,

Acting Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration to-morrow.

The following petitions were severally presented:—

By the Honourable the Acting Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce.

Of George Henry Olaf Rundle, of Montreal, Quebec; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve his marriage with Jessie Agnes Rundle.

Of Ruby Violet Gainsford Moorhead, of the village of Bryson, in the province of Quebec, and at present residing at the city of Ottawa, in the province of Ontario; praying for the passage of an Act to dissolve her marriage with Thomas John Moorhead, of the said village of Bryson.

On motion of the Honourable Senator Blais, it was—

Ordered, That the Parliamentary fees paid upon the Bill (T-3) intituled: "An Act respecting The General Missionary Society of the German Baptist

Churches of North America, and to change its name to The North American Baptist General Missionary Society," be refunded to Mr. A. L. Marks, Edmonton, Alberta, solicitor for the petitioners, less printing and translation costs.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (139), intituled: "An Act to amend the Criminal Code," was read the third time, as amended.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with one amendment, to which they desire their concurrence.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (149), intituled: "An Act to establish a Department of National Health and Welfare," was read the second time.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

The Order of the Day being called for resuming the adjourned debate on the motion for the second reading of the Bill (133), intituled: "An Act to amend the Aeronautics Act," it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned during pleasure.

The Senate resumed.

The Senate adjourned during pleasure.

After a while the Honourable Thibaudeau Rinfret, acting as Deputy of His Excellency the Governor General, having come and being seated at the foot of the Throne,

The Honourable the Speaker commanded the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod to proceed to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that—

"It is the Honourable the Deputy Governor General's desire that they attend him immediately in the Senate Chamber."

The House of Commons being come.

The Clerk read the titles of the Bills to be assented to, as follows:—

An Act respecting The General Missionary Society of the German Baptist Churches of North America, and to change its name to The North American Baptist General Missionary Society.

An Act for the relief of Pinnie Rosenhek Leopold.

An Act for the relief of Joseph Ulric Edouard Burns.

An Act for the relief of Goldie Anker Lazanik.

An Act for the relief of Adélard Bélanger.

An Act for the relief of Alice Robert Rajotte.

An Act for the relief of Frances Eleanor Campbell Coleman.

An Act for the relief of George Igaz.

An Act for the relief of John William Frank Draper.

An Act for the relief of Sam Sokoloff.

An Act for the relief of Léon LeBrun.

An Act for the relief of William Taffert.

An Act for the relief of Belle Bailey Leibovitch.

An Act for the relief of Gertie Shulman Friedman.

An Act for the relief of Sarah Shutsky Shapiro.

An Act for the relief of Jessie Dickson Mackie Toy.

An Act for the relief of Angele Pauline Edgar Marie Lambert Choux.

An Act for the relief of Margaret Kathleen Hollenbeck Fortin.

An Act for the relief of Hulda Van Koughnet Lynch-Staunton.

An Act for the relief of James MacMillan McHale.

An Act for the relief of Vernon Ross Aiken.

An Act for the relief of Frederick Richard Channon.

An Act for the relief of Ernest Charles Hazard.

An Act respecting The Naval Service of Canada.

An Act to provide regulations enabling Canadian War Service electors to exercise their franchise, and Canadian prisoners of war to vote by proxy, at any general election held during the present war, also to provide amendments to *The Dominion Elections Act, 1938*, consequential to such regulations, or made necessary by the advent of the said war.

An Act to amend the Salaries Act.

An Act to amend The Transport Act, 1938.

An Act to establish a Department of National Health and Welfare.

To these Bills the Royal Assent was pronounced by the Clerk of the Senate in the following words:—

"In His Majesty's name, the Honourable the Deputy Governor General doth assent to these Bills."

The Honourable the Speaker of the Commons then addressed the Honourable the Deputy Governor General, as follows:—

"MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

"The Commons of Canada have voted supplies required to enable the Government to defray certain expenses of the Public Service.

"In the name of the Commons, I present to Your Honour the following Bill:—

An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the public service of the financial year ending the 31st March, 1945.

"To which Bill I humbly request Your Honour's assent."

After the Clerk had read the title of this Bill.

To this Bill the Royal Assent was pronounced by the Clerk of the Senate in the following words:—

"In His Majesty's name, the Honourable the Deputy Governor General thanks His Loyal Subjects, accepts their benevolence, and assents to this Bill."

After which the Honourable the Deputy Governor General was pleased to retire.

The Commons withdrew.

The Senate resumed.

The Senate adjourned.

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JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Tuesday, 25th July, 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Davies,	Johnston,	McGuire,
Aylesworth	Duff,	King,	Michener,
(Sir Allen),	Duffus,	Lambert,	Murdock,
Beaubien	DuTremblay,	Leger,	Paquet,
(Montarville),	Fafard,	Macdonald	Riley,
Beaubien (St. Jean	Farris,	(Richmond-West	Robicheau,
Baptiste),	Foster,	Cape Breton),	St. Père,
Black,	Gouin,	Macdonald	Sinclair,
Blais,	Griesbach,	(Cardigan),	Smith,
Bouchard,	Haig,	MacLennan,	Sutherland,
Bourque,	Harmer,	Marcotte,	Tanner,
Calder,	Hayden,	Marshall,	Vien,
Campbell,	Horner,	McDonald	White,
Copp,	Hugessen,	(Shediac),	Wilson.

PRAYERS.

Messages were brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the following Bills, and to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bills, without any amendment:—

Bill (W-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of James Russell Popham."

Bill (X-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Norma Segal Katz."

Bill (Y-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Harold Almond Jelley."

Bill (Z-4), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Josephine Kurys Kulczycki."

Bill (A-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Shirley Harte Harvey Payne."

Bill (B-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Pearl Anneta Benn Russell."

Bill (C-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Joseph Adélar Paul Bégin."

Bill (D-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Eugène Charron."

Bill (E-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Lillian Bessie Noall Salmon."

Bill (F-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Joan Helen Gorham Glover."

Bill (G-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Elsie Hollingsworth."

Bill (H-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Louis Joseph Jules Laurencelle."

Bill (I-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Freda Altman Scheien."

Bill (J-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ivan Walter Moore."

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk in the following words:—

MONDAY, 24th July, 1944.

Resolved,—That a Message be sent to the Senate to return to that House the evidence, etc., taken before the Standing Committee of the Senate on Divorce, to whom were referred the petitions of James Russell Popham, Norma Segal Katz, Harold Almond Jelley, Josephine Kurys Kulczycki, Shirley Harte Harvey Payne, Pearl Anneta Benn Russell, Joseph Adélar Paul Bégin, Eugène Charron, Lillian Bessie Noall Salmon, Joan Helen Gorham Glover, Elsie Hollingsworth, Louis Joseph Jules Laurencelle, Freda Altman Scheien, Ivan Walter Moore, respectively praying for Bills of Divorce, together with the papers produced in evidence before them.

Ordered,—That the Clerk of the House do carry the said Message to the Senate.

Attest.

ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE,

Clerk of the Commons.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and seventeenth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 25th July, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and seventeenth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of George Henry Olaf Rundle, of the city of Montreal, in the province of Quebec, merchant marine officer, for an Act

to dissolve his marriage with Jessie Agnes Rundle, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Acting Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Report was adopted.

Pursuant to the Orders of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the 111th, 113th, 114th, 115th and 116th Reports of the Standing Committee on Divorce.

The said Reports were, on division, adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the 112th Report of the Standing Committee on Divorce, to whom was referred the petition of Charlotte Muriel Wright, praying for refund of the Parliamentary fees paid upon her petition for a Bill of Divorcee.

The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable the Acting Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce presented to the Senate the following Bills:—

Bill (M-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ruth Usher Garson."

Bill (N-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Albert Daniel Joseph Doherty."

Bill (O-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Rosie Vogel Blatt."

Bill (P-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of William McKenzie White."

Bill (Q-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Zoe Irene McFarland Craig."

The said Bills were read the first time.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bills were then read the second time.

Ordered, That they be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion for the second reading of the Bill (133), intituled: "An Act to amend the Aeronautics Act."

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate on the said motion be adjourned until to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 40

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Wednesday, 26th July, 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Daigle,	Hushion,	McGuire,
Aylesworth	Davies,	Johnston,	Michener,
(Sir Allen),	Duff,	King,	Murdock,
Beaubien	Duffus,	Lacasse,	Paquet,
(Montarville),	DuTremblay,	Lambert,	Riley,
Beaubien (St. Jean	Fafard,	Leger,	Robertson,
Baptiste),	Fallis,	Macdonald	Robicheau,
Black,	Farris,	(Richmond-West	St. Père,
Blais,	Foster,	Cape Breton),	Sinclair,
Bouchard,	Gouin,	Macdonald	Smith,
Bourque,	Griesbach,	(Cardigan),	Sutherland,
Calder,	Haig,	MacLennan,	Tanner,
Campbell,	Harmer,	Marcotte,	Vien,
Chapais	Hayden,	Marshall,	White,
(Sir Thomas),	Horner,	McDonald	Wilson.
Copp,	Hugessen,	(Shediac),	

PRAYERS.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (162), intituled: "An Act to amend The War Exchange Conservation Act, 1940," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (163), intituled: "An Act to amend the Special War Revenue Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (165), intituled: "An Act to amend the Judges Act (Annuities)," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (166), intituled: "An Act to amend the Dominion Succession Duty Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Orders of the Day, the following Bills were, on division, severally read the third time:—

Bill (M-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ruth Usher Garson."

Bill (N-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Albert Daniel Joseph Doherty."

Bill (O-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Rosie Vogel Blatt."

Bill (P-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of William McKenzie White."

Bill (Q-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Zoe Irene McFarland Craig."

The question was put whether these Bills shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed these Bills, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

The Honourable Senator Sinclair, for the Honourable the Acting Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented to the Senate a Bill (R-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of George Henry Olaf Rundle."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was, on division, then read the second and third times.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion for the second reading of the Bill (133), intituled: "An Act to amend the Aeronautics Act."

After further debate, and—

The question being put on the said motion,

The Senate divided, and the names being called for they were taken down, as follows:—

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The Honourable Senators

Aylesworth	Davies,	Harmer,	MacLennan,
(Sir Allen),	Duffus,	Hayden,	Marshall,
Beaubien (St. Jean	DuTremblay,	Hugessen,	Murdock,
Baptiste),	Fafard,	Hushion,	Riley,
Blais,	Farris,	Johnston,	Robertson,
Bouchard,	Foster,	King,	St. Père,
Campbell,	Gouin,	Lacasse,	Sinclair,
Daigle,			Wilson—28.

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The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Calder,	Haig,	Paquet,
Beaubien	Chapais	Horner,	Smith,
(Montarville),	(Sir Thomas),	Macdonald	Sutherland,
Black,	Fallis,	(Richmond-West	Tanner—15.
Bourque,	Griesbach,	Cape Breton),	

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

The said Bill was then read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours.

The Senate adjourned.

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JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Thursday, 27th July, 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Davies,	King,	Michener,
Aylesworth	Duffus,	Lacasse,	Murdock,
(Sir Allen),	Fafard,	Lambert,	Nicol,
Beaubien (St. Jean	Fallis,	Leger,	Paquet,
Baptiste),	Farris,	Macdonald	Riley,
Beauregard,	Foster,	(Richmond-West	Robertson,
Black,	Gouin,	Cape Breton),	Robichau,
Blais,	Griesbach,	Macdonald	St. Père,
Bouchard,	Haig,	(Cardigan),	Sinclair,
Bourque,	Harmer,	MacLennan,	Smith,
Campbell,	Hayden,	Marcotte,	Sutherland,
Chapais	Horner,	Marshall,	Tanner,
(Sir Thomas),	Hugessen,	McDonald	Vaillancourt,
Copp,	Hushion,	(Shediac),	Vien,
Daigle,	Johnston,	McGuire,	White,
			Wilson.

PRAYERS.

The Honourable Senator White, from the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament, presented their first Report:—

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 27th July, 1944.

The Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament has the honour to present the following as its first Report:—

Your Committee has considered the attached list of documents and papers tabled in the Senate and the House of Commons at the present session and recommends that none be printed.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

GERALD V. WHITE,
Chairman.

4. Report of the Chief Electoral Officer on the By-Elections held during the year 1943, pursuant to subsection 6 of section 56 of the Dominion Elections Act, 1938.

7. Orders in Council passed pursuant to the provisions of the Public Service Re-arrangement and Transfer of Duties Act, as follows:—

Order in Council P.C. 17/9400, approved December 8, 1943: Transferring certain employees from the Transport and Fisheries Division of the Office of the Comptroller of the Treasury to the Department of Transport.

Order in Council P.C. 18/9400, approved December 8, 1943: Transferring certain employees from the Transport and Fisheries Division of the Office of the Comptroller of the Treasury to the Board of Transport Commissioners for Canada, Department of Transport.

Order in Council P.C. 76/510, approved January 26, 1944: Transferring A. K. Light from the Department of Public Works to the Staff of the National Research Council.

8. Proclamations and Orders in Council, passed under the provisions of the War Measures Act, between June 18, 1943, and December 31, 1943.

8a. Copy of Order in Council passed under the authority of the War Measures Act, Chapter 206, R.S.C., 1927, as follows:—

Order in Council P.C. 2/602, approved January 31, 1944: amending regulations *re* allowances authorized to be awarded by the War Veterans' Allowance Board.

13. Report by the Minister of Justice pursuant to paragraph 3 of Regulation 21 of the Defence of Canada Regulations (Detention of Persons).

13a. Report by the Minister of Justice pursuant to Paragraph 3, of Regulation 21 of the Defence of Canada Regulations.

13b. Report by the Minister of Justice pursuant to paragraph 3, of Regulation 21 of the Defence of Canada Regulations.

13c. Report by the Minister of Justice pursuant to paragraph 3, of Regulation 21, of the Defence of Canada Regulations (Detention of Persons).

13d. Report by the Minister of Justice pursuant to paragraph 3, of Regulation 21 of the Defence of Canada Regulations. (Detention of Persons).

13e. Order in Council P.C. 3797, approved May 19, 1944: amending Regulation 39E of the Defence of Canada Regulations to provide in express terms penalties against every person who acquires or holds land or growing crops for the benefit of any person known to him to be of the Japanese race or a company known to him to be a Japanese company.

13f. Report by the Minister of Justice pursuant to paragraph 3 of Regulation 21 of the Defence of Canada Regulations. (Detention of Persons).

17. Report of the Federal District Commission and Statement of Receipts and Expenditures of the Federal District Commission for the year ended March 31, 1943. Statutes of Canada 1926-27, C. 55, SS. 15 and 16.

23. Report on the Operations of the Foreign Exchange Control Board for the year ended December 31, 1943.

24. Statement of Expenditures from the Appropriation for Unforeseen Expenses, Vote 67, Appropriation Act 1943-44.

26. Returns of Classification of Loans and Deposits in Canada as of October 30, 1943, of Chartered Banks of Canada, pursuant to Section 114 (12) of the Bank Act, Chapter 24, Statutes of 1934.

27. Lists of Unclaimed Balances, etc., in Canadian Chartered Banks as on December 31, 1943, in accordance with chapter 24, section 114, 24-25 George V.

28. List of Shareholders of the Chartered Banks of the Dominion of Canada as on December 31, 1943, in accordance with chapter 24, section 114, 24-25 George V.

29. Lists of Unclaimed Balances, etc., in Quebec Savings Banks as on December 31, 1943, made in accordance with chapter 39, section 10, 24-25 George V.

30. Lists of Shareholders in Quebec Savings Banks as on December 31, 1943, made in accordance with chapter 39, section 9, 24-25 George V.

31. Statement of Receipts and Expenditures of the National Battlefields Commission for the year ended March 31, 1943. Statutes of Canada 1908, C. 57, S. 12.

32. Sixth Annual Report on the Operations of the Municipal Improvements Assistance Act, 1938, for the year ended December 31, 1943.—Statutes of Canada, 1938, Chapter 33, Section 10.

32a. Return showing:—

1. What is the total amount of loans made by the Canadian government under the authority of the Municipal Improvements Assistance Act, S.C. 1938, Chapter 33?

2. What is the distribution of such loans, by provinces and municipalities?

33. (A) Statement of allowances granted to Civil Servants under the Civil Service Superannuation Act, 1924, during the fiscal year ended March 31, 1943—R.S.C., chapter 24, section 14.

(B) Statement of allowances granted to dependents of Civil Servants under the Civil Service Superannuation Act, 1924, during the fiscal year ended March 31, 1943—R.S.C., Chapter 24, section 14.

(C) Statement showing amount of contributions and payments under the Civil Service Superannuation Act, 1924, during the fiscal year ended March 31, 1943—R.S.C., chapter 24, section 14.

34. Statement of the Superintendent of Insurance concerning the operations of the Civil Service Insurance Act for the year ended March 31, 1943, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 23, Section 21, R.S.C. 1927.

36. Auditor's Report on the Financial Statement of the Canadian Farm Loan Board for the year ended March 31, 1943, including therein the Report of the Auditor respecting the operations of the Canadian Fisherman's Loan Act for the year ended March 31, 1943. Statutes of Canada 1935, C. 52, S. 12.

39. Report on the Operations of the Central Mortgage Bank for the year ended December 31, 1943—Statutes of Canada, 1939, Chapter 40, Section 26.

40. Statement of the Superintendent of Insurance concerning the operations of the Returned Soldiers' Insurance Act for the year ended March 31, 1943, in accordance with the provisions of the Statutes of Canada, 1920, Chapter 54, s. 19.

41. Annual Report on the Operations of the Farmer's Creditors Arrangement Act for the year ended March 31, 1943. Statutes of Canada 1934, C. 53, S. 16.

42. Agreements made under the War Exchange Conservation Act, 1940, Statutes of Canada, 1940-1941, Chapter 2, Section 8.

42a. Agreements made under the provisions of the War Exchange Conservation Act, 1940, Statutes of Canada, 1940-41, Chapter 2, Section 8.

46. Annual Return of Permits issued during the calendar year 1943 as required by subsection 2 of section 4 of the Immigration Act.

46a. Return showing:—What are the names, the previous residences and the racial origin of the persons to whom permits have been issued by the Minister of Mines and Resources, under Order in Council P.C. 9440, December 10, 1943?

46b. Return showing:—

1. How many persons have been naturalized since the commencement of hostilities?

2. What was their nationality, and the number of each?

46c. Return showing:—

1. Since the 10th day of December, 1943, how many persons were granted a permit by the government under the provisions of Order in Council 9440 concerning the status of immigrant refugees?

2. Among the persons who obtained such permit, have any been employed since their arrival in this country, or are any employed at present by the by the dominion government or commissions or undertakings of said government dominion government or commissions or undertakings of said government?

3. If so, (a) what number; (b) what are their names; (c) what were or are their duties; (d) what amounts did they or do they receive?

48. Statement respecting seed grain and relief indebtedness under the provisions of section 2, chapter 51, 17 George V, intituled: "An Act respecting certain debts due the Crown," from December 19, 1942, to December 31, 1943.

49. Copies of Orders in Council passed under the provisions of the Dominion Lands Act, R.S.C. 113, 1927, Section 75, since the last Return to Parliament.

50. List of Leases, Licences, permits or other authorities cancelled, since last report to Parliament, under the provisions of R.S.C. 1927, chapter 113, section 96.

51. Statement under section 7, of the Reclamation Act, R.S.C. 1927, chapter 175, in respect to the construction of drainage works during the past year.

52. Return showing land sales and leases cancelled by the Indian Affairs Branch, Department of Mines and Resources, from January 1, 1943, to December 31, 1943.

53. Statement showing the number of Enfranchisements under the Indian Act during the fiscal year ended 31st March, 1943, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 98, section 113, of the Revised Statutes, 1927.

54. Statement respecting loans made to Indians during the calendar year 1943, out of the Revolving Fund as established under subsection 1 of section 94 (b) of the Indian Act, Chapter 31, Statutes of Canada, 1938.

55. Statement with respect to liquor permits issued during the period January 1, 1943, to December 31, 1943, as required by Section 93 of the Northwest Territories Act, Chapter 142, R.S.C. 1927.

56. Ordinances passed under the provisions of Section 13 of the Northwest Territories Act, Chapter 142, R.S.C., 1927—to amend the Workmen's Compensation Ordinance; the Territorial Liquor Ordinance; the Motor Vehicle Ordinance; the Steam Boiler and Pressure Plant Ordinance; and also Ordinances respecting Employment Agencies; the prevention of venereal disease; the appointment of sheriffs.

58. Statement showing lands sold by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company during the year ended September 30, 1943, together with the names of the purchasers, in accordance with 49 Victoria, Chapter 9, Section 8.

66. Report of positions excluded under the provisions of Section 59 from the operation of the Civil Service Act, Chapter 22, R.S.C. 1927, for the calendar year 1943.

69. Annual Report of the Superintendent of Bankruptcy for the calendar year 1942.

71a. Return showing:—

1. What are the names and addresses of fieldmen in Saskatchewan hired during 1943 under the Prairie Farm Rehabilitation Act?

2. What amount was paid to each for, (a) salary; (b) expenses?

3. What is the total amount of time for which each was hired by the government?

4. What is the total cost of administration during the calendar year ending December 31, 1943?

72. Report on Activities under the Prairie Farm Assistance Act for the Crop Year 1942-43.

72a. Return to an Order of the House of February 28, 1944, for a copy of all expense accounts, vouchers, receipts and forms A-101 submitted by Ed. Zahorski employed by the Department of Agriculture under the P.F.A.A., from June 15 to August 15, 1943, inclusive.

75a. Order in Council P.C. 530, approved February 3, 1944: appointing William James Parker, Esquire, of Winnipeg, Manitoba, a Governor of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation.

75b. Return showing:—

1. What number of radio licences have been issued during the present fiscal up to January 1, 1944?

2. What amount of money has been collected by the Canadian Radio Broadcasting Corporation during the present fiscal year, up to January 31, 1944, by way of, (a) radio licences; (b) all other sources, giving details?

3. What has been the total expenditures on behalf of and for the Canadian Radio Broadcasting Corporation during the present fiscal year, up to January 31, 1944?

75c. Copy of Order in Council P.C. 2120, approved March 24, 1944: appointing Bernard Keble Sandwell, Esquire, of Toronto, a Governor of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation.

75d. 1. Have any radio broadcasting licences been applied for during the past year?

2. If so, who were the applicants in each case?

3. What decision has been made in each case?

75e. Return showing:—

1. Are appointments to the staff of the C.B.C. under the jurisdiction of the Civil Service Commission?

2. Are appointments to the National War Finance Committee staff under the jurisdiction of the Civil Service Commission?

3. What governmental authority decides the amount of remuneration to be paid to persons appointed by the C.B.C. or the National War Finance Committee, and who are said to come under the class known as "uncontrolled and legally uncontrollable section of the committee"?

4. Is there any rule in the Civil Service Act of Canada defining the status or classification of a person giving a fifteen-minute broadcast over the C.B.C. and under the auspices of the War Finance Committee and who is paid a stipend out of the public treasury for the same?

5. Is there any limitation to the amount that either of the aforementioned bodies may pay to a person for broadcasting as indicated in question 4?

6. What is the basis upon which the value or merit of a broadcast by an individual is determined?

78. Order in Council P.C. 1620, approved March 13, 1944: renewing loan of \$2,698,721.43 made to the Province of British Columbia, accepting as security therefor Treasury Bill of the said province bearing interest at the rate of 3 per cent per annum.

78a. Order in Council P.C. 2125, approved March 27, 1944: renewing loan of \$1,938,881.59, made to the Province of British Columbia, accepting as security therefor Treasury Bill of the said Province, bearing interest at the rate of 3 per cent per annum.

78b. Order in Council P.C. 2158, approved March 27, 1944: renewing guarantee for a period of one year from May 1, 1944, of a Treasury Bill of the Province of Manitoba amounting to \$4,805,722.62 held by the Royal Bank of Canada as security for loans made to the said Province to cover obligations maturing in New York, the said Treasury Bill bearing interest at the rate of 2½ per cent per annum.

78c. Order in Council P.C. 2667, approved April 13, 1944: renewing loan of \$1,835,000.00, made to the Province of Alberta, accepting as security therefor Treasury Bill of the said province bearing interest at the rate of 3 per cent per annum.

78d. Order in Council P.C. 3167, approved April 28, 1944: renewing loan of \$1,850,000.00 made to the Province of British Columbia, accepting as security therefor Treasury Bill of the said province bearing interest at the rate of 3 per cent per annum.

78e. Order in Council P.C. 3527, approved May 11, 1944: renewing loan of \$2,448,000 made to the Province of Alberta, accepting as security therefor Treasury Bill of the said province bearing interest at the rate of 3 per cent per annum.

78f. Order in Council P.C. 3727, approved May 18, 1944: renewing loan of \$935,000 made to the Province of British Columbia, accepting as security therefor Treasury Bill of the said province bearing interest at the rate of 3 per cent per annum.

79a. Orders in Council passed pursuant to the provisions of the Unemployment Insurance Act, 1940, dealing with regulations made by the Unemployment Insurance Commission covering contributions and benefits.

79b. Third Annual Report of the Unemployment Insurance Advisory Committee on the financial condition of the Unemployment Insurance Fund as at December 31, 1943.

79c. Regulations issued under the authority of the Unemployment Insurance Act, 1940, and including P.C. 3581, May 23, 1941.

79d. Return showing:—

1. How many competitions have been held by the Civil Service Commission to secure staff for the Unemployment Insurance Commission for positions of, (a) managers of local offices; (b) other grades, carrying minimum salaries of over \$2,100, in which the minimum qualifications of candidates included the ability to speak, read and write the English and French languages?

2. What are the competition numbers, the position titles, the salary ranges, and the location of these positions?

3. What are the names of those appointed as a result of such competitions?

4. In which of these competitions were candidates required to pass a written examination, and what are the names of such candidates (if any)?

5. In which of these competitions were candidates who had been recommended as qualified by oral examining boards rejected by the Civil Service Commission because of lack of the language qualifications mentioned in (1), and what are the names of such candidates?

79e. Copy of Order in Council P.C. 2457, approved April 4, 1944: Regulations made and approved under the Unemployment Insurance Act, 1940, for the period from February 2, 1944, to April 18, 1944.

81a. Return showing:—

1. What were the total expenditures for the National Research Council for each of the fiscal years ending March 31, (a) 1933; (b) 1938; (c) 1943?

2. What percentage of the total governmental expenditures for each of these three years, namely 1933, 1938 and 1943, do the amounts spent for the National Research Council represent?

89. Statement in respect to Regulations made under the Pensions and National Health Act since April 30, 1943. (English and French editions.)

89a. Order in Council P.C. 1/602, approved January 31, 1944: amending Regulations made under the Department of Pensions and National Health Act, Chapter 39, Statutes of 1928.

89b. Order in Council passed under the provisions of the War Measures Act—Chapter 206, R.S.C. 1927, as follows:—

Order in Council P.C. 775, approved February 8, 1944: providing that the Post-Discharge Re-establishment Order (P.C. 7633, approved October 1, 1941, as amended) be further amended with respect to training privileges; out-of-work benefits; vocational training; correspondence courses.

89c. Regulations made under the Department of Pensions and National Health Act (P.C. 421, approved March 4, 1944).

89d. Copy of Order in Council P.C. 119/2595, approved April 12, 1944: providing for pension payments to members of the Women's Divisions of the armed forces.

89e. Copy of Order in Council P.C. 4/3655, approved May 15, 1944: amending The Post-discharge Re-establishment Order by increasing the rates of allowances.

89f. Order in Council P.C. 117/3088, approved April 27, 1944: increasing the maximum pensions payable to dependent parents where there is a pensionable widow or child, etc.

89g. Order in Council P.C. 5/3655, approved May 15, 1944: providing for the payment of a pension to the widow of a member of the forces who saw service in the Great War and who was married prior to May 1, 1944; and permits the payment of pensions to disabled veterans with respect to wives married, and children born prior to May 1, 1944.

89h. Return showing:—

1. What is the present amount of the rehabilitation grant paid to officers on discharge?

2. Is this grant subject to income tax?

89i. Copy of Order in Council P.C. 3376, approved May 29, 1944: amending regulations passed under the authority of the Old Age Pensions Act, R.S.C. 1927, Chapter 156.—(Length of Domicile and Amount of Income.)

89j. Order in Council P.C. 3377, approved May 29, 1944: providing for an increase in the maximum amount of income which may be received by a pensioner under the Old Age Pensions Act.

89k. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of March 29, 1944, for a copy of all correspondence dated since January 1, 1943, between the federal government and the governments of the several provinces and/or the provincial pension authorities, relating to the filing of liens against the property of old age and blind pensioners; and also for a copy of all correspondence between the same dated since January 1, 1943, relating to the interpretation of subsection (2) and (3) of section 9 of the Old Age Pension Act.

89l. Copy of Order in Council P.C. 4465, approved June 13, 1944: revoking regulations passed under the provisions of the Pension Act and established by Order in Council P.C. 91 of January 16, 1936, as amended, and substituting therefor new regulations, with effect from June 1, 1944.

90. Statement in respect to Regulations made under the Proprietary or Patent Medicine Act, Chapter 151, R.S.C. 1927, by Order in Council P.C. 9785, approved December 24, 1943. (English and French editions.)

91. Statement of Receipts and Expenditures for Sick and Distressed Mariners for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1943. (English and French editions.)

92. Statement in respect to Regulations made under the Public Works Health Act, Chapter 91, Section 5, R.S.C., 1927, since January 28, 1943. (English and French editions.)

97. Order in Council P.C. 6773, approved August 26, 1943, amending The Air Regulations, 1938.

97a. Return showing:—Under the North American Regional Broadcasting Agreements of 1941, known as the Havana Agreements:—

1. How many Class 1A, 1B, II, III, IV, channels were allotted to Canada?
2. What is the frequency of each?
3. What is the minimum and maximum power of each channel?
4. How many of them are now occupied?
5. What stations occupy them?
6. What power are they using?
7. What channels are exempted from the use of minimum power?
8. What stations since 1939 have applied for an increase of power, and what power was applied for, and what power increase was granted?
9. Has application been made since 1939 for the use of unoccupied channels?
10. If so, what power was applied for?
11. What is the minimum power of the unoccupied channels?
12. What stations have applied for permits to experiment or otherwise in frequency modulation, television, facsimile?
13. Have any permits been granted?

98. Summary Statement of Harbour Dues for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1943.

99. Summary Statement of Wharfage Revenue for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1943.

100. Return of lease of wharves, piers and breakwaters for the calendar year 1943, as required by section 18, chapter 89 "Government Harbours and Piers Act".

105. Report of work performed and expenditures made as of December 31, 1943, together with the estimated expenditures for 1944, under authority of Chapter 12, Statutes of Canada, 1929, Construction by Canadian National Railway Company of certain terminal facilities with grade separation and other works at and in the vicinity of the city of Montreal.

109. Order in Council P.C. 8529, approved November 4, 1943: issuing licences to United States fishing vessels on the Atlantic Coast to purchase bait, ice, seines, lines and all other supplies and outfits.

110. Order in Council, P.C. 1385, approved February 22, 1943, authorizing distribution of Fishing Bounty Payments for the fiscal year 1942-43, under the provisions of R.S.C. 1927, chapter 74, intituled: "An Act to encourage the Development of the Sea Fisheries and the Building of Fishing Vessels."

112a. Return showing:—

1. What has been done since last session to relieve the very serious need of small houses and the housing situation in Toronto, (a) for civilian citizens; (b) soldiers and their families; (c) soldiers from overseas returning home?
2. Who is in charge of it at Toronto?
3. What has been spent there on houses for war workers?
4. What has been spent on dwelling conversions there, and at what cost each year since the present war began?

112b. What is being done with regard to the housing emergency existing at Toronto in the way of aid to civil power there by the military forces, (a) to provide temporarily building space there to store temporarily household goods of those suffering; (b) temporary loan of motor vehicles to move household goods in this emergency, to May 1?

112c. Return showing:—

1. Has the government any plans for building houses in Toronto to relieve the scarcity of small houses there?
2. If so, what are such plans, (a) for wartime houses; (b) for small houses for soldiers; (c) for civilians?
3. Are negotiations pending with the city government on any such plan or plans?
4. If so, what reply has the city given, and what action has or will be taken by the government?

113. List of Officers and Members and Minutes of Proceedings of The Royal Society of Canada, 1943.

114. Copy of the Ninety-seventh Annual Report of the Board of Directors of The Canada Life Assurance Company for the year ended December 31, 1943.

115. Report from the Civil Service Commission, respecting the appointment of Mr. John Laundry as Deputy Sergeant-at-Arms.

116. Censorship Regulations and Directives concerning censorship of Radio Broadcasting, Publications and the Press.

117. Agreements concluded between Canada and the United States of America as follows:—

Exchange of Notes respecting customs privileges for government employees (Ottawa, July 21, October 29 and November 9, 1942). (Treaty Series 1942, No. 20.)

Exchange of Notes recording an agreement regarding the construction of the Haines-Champagne Highway (Ottawa, November 28 and December 7, 1942). (Treaty Series 1942, No. 21.)

Exchange of Notes recording an agreement regarding the southern terminus of the Alaska Highway (Ottawa, May 4 and 9, 1942). (Treaty Series 1942, No. 22.)

Exchange of Notes constituting an agreement for the construction and maintenance of a pipeline and a refinery at Whitehorse, Yukon (Ottawa, June 27 and 29, 1942). (Treaty Series 1942, No. 23.) (Canol Project.)

Exchange of Notes recording an agreement for the establishment of an oil supply line from Skagway to Whitehorse (Ottawa, August 14 and 15, 1942). (Treaty Series 1942, No. 24.) (Canol Project.)

Exchange of Notes recording an agreement regarding the official name of the Alaska Highway (Washington, July 19, 1943). (Treaty Series 1943, No. 10.)

Exchange of Notes recording arrangements for exemption from provincial and municipal taxation of United States defence projects in Canada (Ottawa, August 6 and 9, 1943). (Treaty Series 1943, No. 11.)

Exchange of Notes recording an agreement for the waiver of claims arising from collisions between vessels of war (Washington, May 25 and 26, 1943). (Treaty Series 1943, No. 12.)

Arrangement regarding jurisdiction with respect to prizes (Ottawa and Washington, August 3 and September 27, 1943). (Treaty series 1943, No. 13.)

Exchange of Notes extending to October 1, 1944, the Agreement for the temporary raising of the level of Lake St. Francis of the 10th November, 1941 (Washington, October 5 and 11, 1943). (Treaty Series 1943, No. 15.)

Exchange of Notes recording an agreement regarding the post-war use by United States vehicles of the roads leading from the United States boundary to the Alaska Highway (Ottawa, April 10, 1943). (Treaty Series 1943, No. 17.)

Exchange of Notes concerning the drilling of oil wells in northwestern Canada (Ottawa, December 28, 1942, and January 13, 1943). (Treaty Series 1943, No. 18.)

Exchange of Notes recording an agreement concerning the drilling of oil wells in northwestern Canada (Ottawa, January 18, February 17 and March 13, 1943). (Treaty Series 1943, No. 19.)

Exchange of Notes recording an agreement on the construction and operation of radio broadcasting stations in northwestern Canada (Ottawa, November 5 and 25, 1943, and January 17, 1944). (Treaty Series 1944, No. 1.)

117a. An Agreement concluded between Canada and the United States of America as follows:—

Exchange of Notes recording an Agreement on the construction of flight strips along the Alaska Highway (Ottawa, August 26, and September 10, 1942). (Treaty Series 1942, No. 26.)

117b. Exchange of Notes between Canada and the United States of America recording an Agreement for the preservation and protection of fur seals of the Bering Sea and the North Pacific Ocean, dated at Washington, December 8 and 19, 1942. (Treaty Series 1942, No. 25.)

117c. Copy of Exchange of Notes between Canada and the United States of America renewing Canada's permission to Pan American Airways Incorporated to fly over Canada between Juneau (Alaska) and Seattle (Washington). Ottawa, June 12, 1943, January 26 and February 21, 1944. (Treaty Series, 1944/2.) English and French editions.

117d. Copies of a Treaty between Canada and the Republic of China concerning the relinquishment of extra-territorial rights and the regulation of related matters (with Exchange of Notes), signed at Ottawa, April 14, 1944. (Treaty Series 1944/11.)

117e. Exchange of Notes between Canada and the United States of America, constituting an Agreement for the settlement of claims arising out of traffic accidents involving Canadian and United States vehicles, dated at Ottawa, March 1 and 23, 1944. (Treaty Series 1944/10.) English and French editions.

117f. Exchange of Notes between Canada and Mexico recording an Agreement in respect of conscription for military service in Canada and in Mexico, dated at Mexico City, February 29, 1944. (Treaty Series 1944/7.) English and French editions.

117g. Order in Council P.C. 2904, approved April 27, 1944: authorizing an agreement with Imperial Oil Limited *re* oil developments in the Northwest Territories; also new petroleum and natural gas regulations for the Northwest Territories and Yukon Territory to cover further exploratory work, etc.

117h. Copy of Exchange of Notes between Canada and the United States of America constituting an Agreement for the temporary additional diversion of water at Niagara for power purposes, dated at Washington, U.S.A., May 3, 1944. (Treaty Series 1944/13.) (English and French editions.)

117i. Exchange of Notes between Canada and Brazil constituting an Agreement for the promotion of Cultural Relations between the two countries, dated at Rio de Janeiro, May 24, 1944. (Treaty Series 1944/15.) (English and French editions.)

118. Agreements concluded between Canada and the United Kingdom as follows:—

Exchange of Notes providing for reciprocal exemption of persons resident in Canada and British Guiana from income tax on earnings derived from the operation of ships (Ottawa, July 7 and September 3, 1943). (Treaty Series 1943, No. 7.)

Exchange of Notes recording arrangements for establishing a Canadian Government trans-Atlantic air service (London, July 15 and 16, 1943). (Treaty Series 1943, No. 8.)

Exchange of Notes recording an agreement for the waiver of claims arising from collisions between vessels of war (London, August 27 and October 27, 1943). (Treaty Series 1943, No. 14.)

119. Agreement concluded between Canada and Newfoundland as follows:—

Exchange of Notes recording arrangements for establishing a Canadian Government trans-Atlantic air service (St. John's, Newfoundland, July 19 and 30, 1943). (Treaty Series 1943, No. 9.)

119a. Exchange of Notes between Canada and Newfoundland constituting an Agreement for the settlement of claims arising out of traffic accidents involving Canadian and Newfoundland vehicles, dated at St. John's, Newfoundland, January 24 and February 7, 1944. (Treaty Series 1944/6.) English and French editions.

119b. Exchange of Notes between Canada and Newfoundland prolonging for a further period of one year the Agreement on the operation of a Commercial Air Service to Newfoundland by Trans-Canada Air Lines effected by an Exchange of Notes of February 6, 7, 9 and 27, 1942, dated at St. John's, Newfoundland, March 1 and 2, 1944. (Treaty Series 1944/8.) English and French editions.

119c. Exchange of Notes between Canada and Newfoundland recording permission for Canadian fishing vessels to land salt and fish in Newfoundland for temporary storage in bond during the calendar year 1944, dated at St. John's, Newfoundland, May 1, 6 and 15, 1944. (Treaty Series 1944/14.) (English and French editions.)

120a. Return to an Order of the House of April 17, 1944, for a copy of the resolutions passed by the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration at Atlantic City in December, 1943.

121. Return showing:—As at June 30, and by military districts, what has been the total intake of men into the armed forces since the outbreak of war, and what percentage do these figures bear to the male population in the military age group in each district?

122. Return showing:—

1. Since the commencement of the war, and including personnel in the permanent army, navy and air force when the war began, what is the total number of men taken on the strength for active full time duties in, (a) the army; (b) the navy; (c) the air force?

2. How many of the same have been struck off the strength or ceased from any cause to be members of the same forces?

123. Return showing:—

1. Was preliminary work such as construction of roads, temporary ditching, stream diversion, etc., in connection with embarkation transit depot, Windsor, N.S., carried out by the Department of National Defence, military or civilian personnel?

2. If so, was Lieutenant James K. Garner (alias Lee), Royal Canadian Engineers, employed to direct and supervise this work?

3. Did Ralph and Arthur Parsons Company, of Windsor, N.S., have any connection with this work directly or indirectly?

4. If so, in what capacity?

5. Was plant machinery or equipment rented from Ralph and Arthur Parsons Company?

6. If so, what were the total rentals paid this firm for plant machinery and/or equipment?

7. What was total rental for each unit?

8. How much was paid this company for supervision?

9. Was rental of power shovels and other equipment on basis of complete operating cost?

10. Was the time of defence personnel and defence materials used by Ralph and Arthur Parsons Company covering repairs and overhaul of plant and machinery charged to and paid for by Ralph and Arthur Parsons Company?

11. If so, what was the amount so charged or paid for this work?

123a. Return showing:—

1. To whom were original contracts awarded for buildings, improvements and fittings in the construction of the transit or embarkation depot at or near Windsor, Nova Scotia, stating description of work and materials, amount of each original contract and time for completion?

2. Were any supplementary contracts or extensions of contracts authorized, stating names, kind of work or materials and costs?

3. Were any cost plus, days work or other special contracts entered into and, if so, state particulars?

4. What have been the total amounts paid to each contractor up to January 31, 1944; also the estimated additional amounts payable to complete contracts?

5. What have been the, (a) tendered costs; (b) actual costs to January 31, 1944, and (c) estimated cost to complete the above, under the following headings: (1) land, (2) drainage and sewerage, (3) waterworks and services, (4) grading

and filling, (5) gravelling, (6) roadways, (7) electrical services, (8) other construction work, (9) equipment, (10) total costs?

6. What has been the cost of operating and maintaining the depot to January 31, 1944?

123b. Return to an Order of the House of February 28, 1944, for a copy of all correspondence since April 1, 1942, between the Departments of National Defence, Munitions and Supply, Public Works and Finance, and property holders, contractors and suppliers of equipment and material, in connection with the acquiring of property, construction of buildings and extensions or other works and improvements at the transit and embarkation depot at Windsor, Nova Scotia.

124. Order in Council P.C. 10354, approved November 17, 1942: respecting the carrying out of the death sentence.

125. Return showing:—

1. What are the conditions and regulations regarding the employment and pay of employees engaged on the secondary canals of the dominion?

2. Are these conditions and regulations being followed in the case of, (a) lockmasters; (b) lockmotormen employed on the Cornwall canal?

3. What are the differences in the conditions of employment and pay of these two classes of employees on that canal?

126. Copy of Regulations established by Orders in Council P.C. 9193, approved December 2, 1942, and P.C. 116/9745, approved December 27, 1943, as required by section 37, subsection (2) of the Veterans Lands Act, 1942.

127. Order in Council passed under the provisions of the War Measures Act—Chapter 206, R.S.C., 1927, as follows:—

Order in Council P.C. 535, approved January 27, 1944: Providing for the expropriation of the Eldorado Mining and Refining Limited.

128. Order in Council P.C. 5382, approved July 8, 1943 and Order in Council P.C. 6006, approved July 28, 1943, setting out tariff fees for Election Officers, etc., as required by section 60, chapter 46, 1938.

128a. Return showing:—

1. Who was the returning officer for the electoral district of Red Deer at the time of the general election of 1940?

2. What firm or individual was given the contract for the printing of the voters' lists, ballots, etc., in connection with the above electoral district in 1940?

3. Did the firm or individual referred to in question two have the facilities necessary for doing all the work in connection with the said printing? If not, what part of the work was done by another firm or individual?

4. Did any firm or individual located outside the electoral district of Red Deer do part of the work in connection with the printing referred to above?

5. If so, what are their names, and what was the reason for part of the printing being done outside of the electoral district of Red Deer?

6. Is it the policy of the government to have all the printing of voters' lists, ballots, etc., done within the electoral district concerned provided facilities are available within the district for the handling of such work?

129. Return showing:—

1. Is Mr. E. P. Taylor, Deputy to the Minister of Munitions and Supply, on the Combined Production and Resources Board of the United Nations?

2. Has the government bought any property situated in the city of Ottawa from Mr. E. P. Taylor?

3. If so, what properties, when, and at what prices?

130. Return showing:—

1. Has Colonel O. M. Biggar acted as counsel and/or solicitor for the dominion government on any corporation owned or controlled by the government since September 1, 1939?

2. If so, in how many cases?

3. Did any of such cases involve questions of patents? If so, how many, and what was the style of cause in each case?

4. What is the total amount of fees paid to him by the government or by corporations owned or controlled by the government since the above-mentioned date?

5. What salary and expenses does he receive as Director of Censorship and what are the total amounts which have been received by him since he was appointed to that position?

6. What salary and expenses does he receive as a member of the Permanent Joint Board of Defence and what are the total amounts which he has received since his appointment to the said board?

131. Return showing:—

1. How many men and women are serving as job placement experts in National Selective Service?

2. What are their names and previous occupations?

3. What experience and qualifications have each of these persons to fit them for the special work in the positions which they hold?

4. Where is each of such persons now serving, and what is the official designation of their position?

5. To what extent have these persons been used to train the staffs in local Selective Service Offices?

131a. Return showing:—

1. In local offices of National Selective Service, how many specialists in placement and job analysis work are presently employed?

2. What is the name of each of such persons?

3. What experience has each of such persons had and where was each previously employed?

4. In what office is each presently employed?

5. How many local offices of National Selective Service are assisted and guided by travelling supervisors and advisers on staff training?

6. Is each of such persons present attached to such local offices?

7. What is the name and what is the previous experience of each of such persons?

8. To what local offices is each of such persons presently attached?

9. What is the name of the committee which prepared the list of occupations covered by the compulsory transfer order of National Selective Service of May 4, 1943?

10. Who comprise said committee?

131b. Return showing:—

1. Who is presently the Director of National Selective Service for Canada?

2. Have any associate directors or assistant directors been appointed in connection with this service? If so, how many, and what are their names?

3. Does any director, associate director or assistant director hold any other public office, and if so, what office?

4. How many administrative divisions are there under the National Selective Service administration of Canada?

5. What officers, professional or other, and what other employees, are engaged in each division in Canada? In the city of Ottawa?

6. How many investigators and/or enforcement officers are engaged in this service?

7. What salary, other remuneration, allowance and/or expenses have been paid to each of the personnel mentioned in the foregoing questions 1 to 6 inclusive?

131c. Return showing:—

1. How many Selective Service and Unemployment Insurance offices are there in the province of British Columbia?

2. Where are they located?

3. What is the grade of each of these offices?

4. What are the names and position of each employee?

5. What are the salary ranges and other remuneration, if any, for each of the positions or class of positions?

6. How many of the employees are returned soldiers, (a) of the last war; (b) of the present war?

7. How many of said employees were appointed to their positions by the Civil Service Commission?

8. How many were appointed by Governor in Council?

131d. Return showing:—

1. What persons served on National Selective Service Mobilization Board for Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia during 1941, 1942 and 1943, and during what periods did each of such persons serve?

2. What persons served as military, agricultural, industrial or other representatives to each of these boards, and during what periods did all of these persons serve?

3. How many applications for postponement were received in each province during 1941 and 1942?

4. How many postponements were granted by each board during 1941 and 1942?

5. What military positions did each of the military representatives in each province hold while acting as military representative to or member of any mobilization board in Canada?

131e. Order in Council P.C. 3438, approved May 8, 1944: amending National Selective Service Civilian Regulations *re* termination of employment in "designated establishments."

131f. Order in Council P.C. 2454, approved May 26, 1944: amending the National Selective Service Civilian Regulations—financial assistance to workers required to change their places of residence by order of National Selective Service Officers.

131g. Address to His Excellency the Governor General for a copy of all correspondence exchanged between the Canadian National and Canadian Pacific Railways and the Department of Labour, from April 26, 1943, to June 14, 1943, concerning mobilization regulations of the National Selective Service.

132. Return showing:—

1. At what places in Nova Scotia have hostels been provided for persons in the armed services or in the merchant marine?
2. Has hostel been provided at Liverpool, Nova Scotia, with special reference to the needs of those in the naval services, or is such contemplated?
3. What is the cost of each such property for, (a) construction; (b) purchase; (c) rental?
4. What has been the cost of, also the estimate cost to complete each property for (a) improvements; (b) equipment and furnishings?

133. Return showing:—

1. Were a Mr. Wenspir and a Mr. Hamilton representatives of the Custodian of Enemy Alien Property in the city of Edmonton, Alberta, in 1941?
2. If so, (a) did they order the destruction of the library of roughly a thousand books belonging to the Ukrainian Farmer Labor Temple Association at 10628-96th street, Edmonton, in or about the month of April, 1941; (b) what volumes were destroyed, and how; (c) for what reason were such books destroyed; (d) was an auction or other sale of furniture and equipment also made on or about the same time under the direction of Messrs. Wenspir and Hamilton, belonging to the same association?
3. Were books comprising the library of the Ukrainian Farmer Labor Temple Association at 300 Bathurst street, Toronto, taken to the premises of the Pullan Paper Stock, Ltd., at Trinity and Parliament streets, Toronto, for destruction, in the early part of 1941? If so, how many volumes were destroyed, and why?
4. Were furniture, effects, or books of this association sold, destroyed or otherwise disposed of in other places in Canada? If so, where?
5. Since such properties cannot be restored, how will restitution or compensation be made?

133a. Return to an Order of the House of March 27, 1944, for a copy of the recommendations of the advisory committee, headed by Judge G. W. McPhee, appointed to recommend the mode and manner of release by the official custodian of properties disposed of by the official custodian.

133b. 1. Have any amounts of money been received by the custodian of enemy property from the Bayer Company of Canada, Limited, and placed to the credit of the I. G. Farben Corporation and Farbenfabriken Vorm Fried Bayer and Company of Germany, since the outbreak of the present war? If so, what is the total?

2. Have any other sums of money been received by the custodian of enemy property and placed to the credit of the above companies during the same period? If so, in what amounts, and from what companies in Canada, or from what sources have such other sums been received?

3. Have any other German companies had amounts placed to their credit by the custodian of enemy property since the outbreak of the present war? If so, what is the total amount in each case?

4. Have any Japanese companies had amounts placed to their credit by the custodian of enemy property since December 7, 1941? If so, what companies, and what is the total amount in each case?

5. Is any interest being paid on or added to amounts placed to the credit of German or Japanese companies by the custodian of enemy property?

6. Where and how are these funds held?

7. Has the government taken any steps to obtain profits made in Canada by German or Japanese companies since the outbreak of the present war?

134. Return showing:—

1. What is the total financial assistance given to each of the following companies since the outbreak of war by the government of Canada, and/or the British government, (a) Babcock-Wilson and Goldie-McCullough, Limited; (b) Shirley-Dietrich-Atkins Company Limited; (c) Canadian Machinery Corporation; (d) Whitehall Machinery and Tools Limited; (e) Galt Brass Company Limited; (f) J. A. M. Taylor Tool Company Limited; (g) R. McDougall Company Limited; (h) Galt Malleable Iron Company Limited; (i) Galt Metal Industries Limited, all of Galt, Ontario?

2. What is the total value of Canadian and/or British government machinery or tools of any kind installed in each of the above-named companies' plants since the outbreak of war?

3. What is the amount of depreciation (accelerated or other) allowed each of the above companies per year since the outbreak of war by arrangements of the Depreciation Board?

4. What percentage of each company's capital outlay for extension and equipment of its plant is permitted each year by the Depreciation Board, and over how many years do these arrangements apply?

135. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of June 21, 1943, for a copy of all correspondence, telegrams and other documents, dated during the twelve-month period to June 10, 1943, addressed to the government by any provincial government, public corporation or professional body, regarding the postponement from military service of those engaged in the farm industry.

135a. Return showing how many men in each military district, up to December 31, 1943, have (a) been called for military service; (b) applied for postponement; (c) been granted postponement for six months or longer.

136. Return to an Order of the House of April 19, 1943, for a Return showing:—

1. What is the amount of the cost-of-living bonus paid to each class of worker in Canada?

2. Is such bonus the same for each class of worker?

3. If not, for what reason?

137. Return to an Order of the House of July 14, 1943, for a copy of all correspondence exchanged between the Department of Pensions and National Health and, (a) war veterans' associations; (b) other organizations or boards of trade; (c) private individuals, since January 1, 1943, in regard to Christie Street Hospital.

Also,—Copy of reports of inspections made of Christie Street Hospital since 1938.

Also,—Copy of all correspondence passing between the Department of Pensions and National Health and the National Commandant of the Nursing Auxiliary of the Canadian Red Cross Society, and the Lady-Superintendent-in-Chief of St. John Ambulance Brigade in Canada, since January 1, 1943, regarding the employment of voluntary nursing aides in the Department of Pensions and National Health hospitals.

138. Return showing:—

1. Have any patent rights licensed by the government, or any department or branch thereof, to the International Nickel Company, expired? If so, on what date or dates?

2. If the above-noted company has any unexpired patent licences, when will they expire?

3. Have any patent rights been licensed to the Falconbridge Nickel Company? If so, what processes are covered by the same?

4. Has any capital assistance been provided by the government to the Falconbridge Nickel Company since the outbreak of the present war?

5. Have any special depreciation allowances been granted to the Falconbridge Nickel Company since the outbreak of the present war?

6. Are there any known deposits of nickel in Manitoba? If so, where are they located, and who owns the same?

139. Return showing:—

1. How many one-dollar-a-year men are, or have been, since the outbreak of the present war, in the employ of the government, or any department thereof?

2. What are their names, addresses, and qualifications, and on what date was each appointed?

3. With what firm or company was each of the above employed, before entering the service of the government?

4. Which of the above are still employed by the said firms or companies?

5. Which of the above are still on the payrolls, or are directors, of the said firms or companies?

6. Have any of the above firms or companies received contracts from the government since the outbreak of the present war?

7. If so, on what date or dates, and for what amount or amounts, in each case?

140. Return showing:—

1. What properties have been purchased or leased at Halifax and Dartmouth, Nova Scotia, by the government since the beginning of the war?

2. From whom were such properties purchased or leased, and what was, (a) purchase price; (b) yearly rental; (c) legal and agents cost, and to whom payable?

3. What has been the cost to date of repairs and improvements to each such property, and estimate to complete?

4. What is the name of contractor and amount of tenders for each property?

5. Where work is done by government, what are the names of foremen in charge, and number of men employed on each property?

6. What is the cost of furnishings, equipment and supplies for each such property?

140a. Statement showing location of and price paid for all properties purchased by any department of government in the provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta during each of the years 1941, 1942 and 1943.

140b. Return showing:—

1. Per Sessional Paper No. 259 of May 4, 1942, have the parcels of land expropriated and marked "unsettled" yet been settled?

2. If so, what are the prices paid for each parcel?

3. To date, what amount of money was paid to Clovis P. Richard, in searching the title, attending to the execution of the title deed, etc., for each parcel, showing detailed statement?

140c. Return showing:—

1. Since 1939, has the dominion government bought or rented real estate or property, (a) in the county of Quebec West and South; (b) in the county of Quebec East; (c) in the county of Quebec South; (d) in the county of Quebec-Montmorency; (e) in the county of Lévis; (f) in the county of Bellechasse; (g) in the county of Montmagny, in the province of Quebec?

2. If so, (a) in what years, from whom, and at what price has such property or real estate been bought or rented; (b) where is it located, and what use is being made of it?

3. Has the government cancelled the rental or resold any of such real estate or property?

4. If so, at what price, and on what conditions?

141. Reports of the National War Labour Board following the enquiry undertaken in 1943 into labour conditions in Canada. (English and French editions.)

141a. Order in Council passed under the provisions of the War Measures Act, Chapter 206, R.S.C., 1927, as follows:—

Order in Council P.C. 1003, approved February 17, 1944: establishing Wartime Labour Relations Regulations.

141b. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of February 11, 1944, for a copy of all communications relating to Wartime Wages Control Order, 1943, P.C. 9384, received by the Prime Minister and/or the Minister of Labour, dated since December 9, 1943, from the Winnipeg and District Trades and Labour Council, the Winnipeg Labour Council of the Canadian Congress of Labour, the Winnipeg Central Labour Council of the One Big Union, and any other trade union or organized labour bodies in Winnipeg; also for a copy of all replies to the said communications by or on behalf of the Prime Minister and/or the Minister of Labour.

141c. Order in Council P.C. 1727, approved March 13, 1944: amending the Wartime Wages Control Order, 1943 (P.C. 9384 of December 9, 1943).

141d. Return to an Order of the House of February 28, 1944, for a copy of a letter from R. B. Richardson, and others, dated January 27, 1943, at Burmis, Alberta, to the National War Labour Board, and a copy of the reply thereto, dated February 2, 1943; also copy of a letter from the said R. B. Richardson, dated December 16, 1942, to the National War Labour Board, and the reply thereto, dated January 7, 1943; also copies of any letters, telegrams, or other correspondence passing between Burmis Lumber Company, of Burmis, Alberta, and the National War Labour Board, or any of its officials during the years 1941, 1942 and 1943; also copies of reports of any inspectors or officials of the National War Labour Board relating to the foregoing case.

141e. Copy of Order in Council P.C. 1895, approved March 16, 1944: appointing the members of the Wartime Labour Relations Board, as provided for under the provisions of the Wartime Labour Relations Regulations (Order in Council P.C. 1003, of February 17, 1944).

141f. Copy of Order in Council P.C. 1982, approved March 20, 1944: ordering that the Wartime Labour Relations Regulations established by Order in Council P.C., 1003 of February 17, 1944, shall come into force on the twentieth day of March, 1944.

141g. Copy of Order in Council P.C. 1986, approved March 20, 1944: appointing Mr. Justice M. B. Archibald of Halifax, N.S., Chairman of the National War Labour Board, effective March 20, 1944, vice Mr. Justice C. P. McTague, resigned.

141h. Copy of Order in Council P.C. 1902, approved March 17, 1944: appointing Mr. George B. Henwood, K.C., of Edmonton, as Chairman of the Western Labour Board, vice Mr. Justice George B. O'Connor, resigned.

141i. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of February 11, 1944, for a copy of all correspondence exchanged between the government of Canada and the government of each of the provinces of Canada having relation to the drafting of legislation for a labour code or the formulation of a joint dominion-provincial policy in regard thereto, together with a copy of any letters or telegrams or other communications between any minister or official of the federal government and any minister or official of any provincial government relating thereto, from January 1, 1943, to date.

141j. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of February 28, 1944, for a copy of all communications or correspondence exchanged between the dominion Department of Labour and the Department of Labour of the province of Quebec since 1939 in connection with the employment of workers and the salaries paid to them.

141k. Order in Council P.C. 2301, approved March 30, 1944: providing that the Wartime Labour Relations Regulations (P.C. 1003 of February 17, 1944) shall not affect the jurisdiction of the Labour Court of Ontario under The Ontario Collective Bargaining Act, 1943, Chapter 4, Statutes of Ontario, 1943, with respect to any proceedings pending in the said Court on March 20, 1944; and also providing that any bargaining agency set up under the said Act shall be deemed to have been certified under the Wartime Labour Relations Regulations.

141l. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of April 24, 1944, for a copy of all correspondence exchanged between the Department of Labour and Hudson Bay Mining and Smelting Company and/or the welfare board of Flin Flon, Manitoba, during 1943 and 1944 in connection with wage agreements.

141m. Order in Council P.C. 2911, approved April 27, 1944: approving of an Agreement with the Province of Ontario for the administration of the Wartime Labour Relations Regulations.

141n. Order in Council P.C. 3062, approved April 27, 1944: approving an Agreement with the Province of British Columbia for the administration of the Wartime Labour Relations Regulations.

141o. Order in Council P.C. 3277, approved May 4, 1944: giving the National War Labour Board authority to approve adjustments of wages paid to persons in Canada engaged in international railway services.

141p. Return showing:—

1. Since December 16, 1940, has the government passed Orders in Council fixing salary rates in specified industries or concerning specified classes of workers following industrial disputes or strikes?

2. If so, (a) how many; (b) on what date was each of such Orders in Council passed (c) what industries and classes of workers were affected by such Orders in Council?

141q. Order in Council P.C. 3732, approved May 18, 1944: approving of an Agreement with Province of Saskatchewan for the administration of the Wartime Labour Relations Regulations.

141r. Order of the House for a copy of all letters, telegrams, memoranda and reports in regard to the application of Professor John L. McDougall to make representations before the National War Labour Board in regard to the application now before said board of the Canadian railway employees for an increase in wage rates.

141s. Return showing:—

1. How many are employed by the Department of Labour who are or were members of a trade union?

2. How many persons have been appointed to boards or committees, etc., after consultation with trade unions?

3. What number allocated to each board, committee, etc., were recommended by trade unions?

4. What are the names of those holding official positions in the Department of Labour who are or were members of trade unions?

141t. Order in Council P.C. 3455, approved May 9, 1944: approving of an Agreement with the Province of New Brunswick for the administration of the Wartime Labour Relations Regulations.

141u. Order in Council P.C. 3491, approved May 15, 1944: approving of an Agreement with the Province of Manitoba for the administration of the Wartime Labour Relations Regulations.

142. Return showing:—

1. By divisions, what was the actual number of persons called for military service under the provisions of the National Resources Mobilization Act?

2. What percentage of those who were called in each division failed to report voluntarily?

3. What percentage of those called for military service from each division still remain unaccounted for?

4. Of those who did appear following call, how many applied for exemption on the grounds that they were conscientious objectors?

5. What percentage in each division, of those who applied for exemption as conscientious objectors were actually exempted from military service?

6. By administrative divisions, what percentage of those who were apprehended following failure to report for military service or alternate work service were, (a) jailed or jailed and also fined; (b) given the option of fine or jail sentence?

7. What was, (a) the average fine imposed in each administrative division; (b) the average jail sentence imposed?

8. By administrative divisions, what percentage of those who were fined were assessed, (a) more than one hundred dollars; (b) less than twenty-five dollars?

9. Of those who were jailed in each division, what percentage received sentences of, (a) one year or more; (b) less than thirty days?

142a. Return showing:—

1. How many men in each military district, (a) have been requisitioned by the army under the National Resources Mobilization Act since March 20, 1941; (b) have reported for medical examination; (c) have been granted postponements?

2. How many military training notices have been sent out in each military district?

3. How many have reported?

4. How many have been enrolled in each military district?

142b. Return showing:—

1. What are the names, home addresses and ages of all persons held in detention under military authority for refusing to bear arms on grounds of conscientious objections up to January 31, 1944?

2. Where are each of these individuals located at the present time, and for what period of time are they to be under detention?

3. How many of these individuals applied to the Mobilization Board for status as conscientious objectors?

142c. Return showing:—

1. What are the names, home addresses and ages of all persons imprisoned to January 31, 1944, as a result of prosecutions arising from their failure to comply with mobilization regulations?

2. Which of these individuals claim to have conscientious objections to military service?

3. Where are each of the individuals located at the present time, and what length of prison terms are they serving?

142d. Return showing:—

1. How many individuals who made application to mobilization boards for postponement as conscientious objectors were granted this status by the boards up to January 31, 1944?

2. How many of these individuals were sent to alternative service camps?

3. How many individuals were refused status as conscientious objectors?

142e. Return showing:—

1. How many men in each administrative district have been called up for medical examination under the National Resources Mobilization Act from the commencement of the Act to January 31, 1944?

2. Of these, how many have been found physically fit?

3. Of those found physically fit, how many are now members of the armed forces, (a) for service anywhere; (b) for service in Canada only?

142f. Return showing:—

1. How many prosecutions by provinces or military districts have been taken against defaulters under the National Resources Mobilization Act?

2. How many convictions have been registered?

142g. Return showing:—

1. Has the Minister of National Defence, since the 4th March, 1944, reported to the Minister of Labour that a definite number of men were required for military training?

2. If so, (a) at what date was this information supplied; (b) what did such information contain?

142h. Return showing:—

Copy of Order in Council P.C. 2443, approved May 2, 1944: amending National Resources Mobilization Act (Army) Regulations, 1943, with respect to the discharge of "R" recruits in low medical categories. (English and French Editions.)

142i. Return showing:—How many married men over twenty-five years of age have been called up for military service under the provisions of the National Resources Mobilization Act, (a) since the Act came into force; (b) since the 1st day of January, 1944, by (i) military districts, (ii) mobilization districts?

142j. Copy of Order in Council P.C. 3874, approved May 23, 1944: providing for the setting up of a Committee to carry out a mobilization survey of all male employees of the Government of Canada in the Ottawa area, where such employees are subject to the provisions of the National Selective Service Mobilization Regulations, 1944.

142k. Return showing:—

1. (a) How many postponed conscientious objectors has the Department of Labour placed in Alternative Service Work Camps in British Columbia under the administration of the Forestry Department of that province; (b) what percentage of these men were engaged in agriculture before entering this service; (c) will this arrangement be maintained during the fiscal year 1944-1945?

2. What work has been done by postponed conscientious objectors in alternative service work camps at Kananaskis, Forest Experimental Station, Seebee, Alberta, and in the Banff, Alberta area?

3. (a) How many men postponed by mobilization boards as conscientious objectors have subsequently joined any branch of the armed forces; (b) what regulations govern non-combatant service in the Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps or the Canadian Dental Corps?

4. (a) How much money did the Red Cross receive up to January 31, 1944, from postponed conscientious objectors; (b) how much was paid to the Canadian Red Cross Society during the month of January, 1944?

5. How many men have been ordered to alternative service work camps for refusal to comply with direction they received?

142l. Return showing:—

1. Do the call-up regulations of the N.R.M.A. apply to all personnel of the reserve army? If not, what ranks are exempt from said call-up?

2. Of such ranks as may be exempt from said call-up, what is the total number now in the reserve army who are of military age?

3. Of the number indicated in the answer to question (2), how many joined the reserve army (a) prior to September, 1939; (b) between September 1, 1939, and September 1, 1940; (c) since September 1, 1940?

143. Return showing:—

1. How many persons in Canada were designated as "coal miners" and actually were occupied as such, (a) at the outbreak of the present war; (b) on May 17, 1943?

2. During the period from the outbreak of war until May 17, 1943, how many such coal miners, (a) enlisted for service in our armed forces; (b) left the mines to go into other occupations?

3. Since May 17, 1943, how many coal miners have gone into, (a) the armed forces; (b) other occupations?

4. From May 17, 1943, to date how many coal miners have been returned to the mines, (a) from the armed forces; (b) from other occupations?

143a. Return showing:—

1. How many copies of the poster "Coal Fights for Canada", issued by the Department of Labour, have been printed?

2. How many of such posters have been distributed?
3. What is the size of such poster?
4. How many photographs were used in the making up of such posters?
5. What was the total cost incurred in the preparation of the said poster?
6. What is the purpose of such poster?

143b. Return showing:—

1. How many tons of coal were mined in the years 1940, 1941, 1942 and 1943?
2. How many tons of Alberta coal were shipped to each province in Canada in each of the above years?
3. Is there an embargo on Alberta coal coming into Ontario?
4. If so, why?

143c. Return showing:—

1. What was the total tonnage of production of domestic fuel in Nova Scotia, Saskatchewan and Alberta, during each of the years 1942 and 1943?
2. What was the total production subsidy paid on this domestic fuel during each of these years?
3. What per day wage increases were granted to coal miners in each of these provinces during 1942 and 1943?
4. What is the average man-day production in each of these provinces?
5. What increases in retail prices of domestic coal were permitted in Nova Scotia, Quebec, Ontario, Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta during each of the years, 1942 and 1943?
6. What is the retail price per ton of each type of domestic coal in Halifax, Montreal, Toronto, Hamilton, Fort William, Winnipeg, Regina, Moose Jaw, Saskatoon, Yorkton, Calgary, Edmonton, as at February 29, 1944?

143d. Return showing:—

1. How much coal was used in government buildings or factories during the years 1940 to 1943 inclusive?
2. What portion of this coal was mined in Canada?

143e. Return showing:—

1. How many royal commissions have been set up to investigate the subject of coal and related subjects since 1914?
2. What was the name of each commission, who was its chairman, and when was each set up?
3. What subject did each commission deal with, and when did each make its report?
4. What was the total cost of each commission?
5. Have there been any other inquiries made on coal and relative subjects by any other government-appointed bodies other than royal commissions?
6. If so, how many, what was the subject, and when was each report made?

144. Return showing:—

1. What are the names of the members of the National Film Board?
2. What is the organizational set-up of the board; how many are employed, and in what position?
3. How many films have been released to, (a) motion picture theatres; (b) for other use?

4. How many films in the Canada Carries On series have been released up to the 31st May, 1943?

5. What remuneration has been received from motion picture theatres for use of films up to May 31, 1943?

6. What was the total cost of the National Film Board, and its work for each year of its operation?

144a. Order in Council P.C. 237, approved January 18, 1944: appointing Mr. M. M. Maclean, Assistant to the Deputy Minister of Labour and Director of Industrial Relations, to be a member of the National Film Board.

145a. Final Report of the Subcommittee on Housing and Community Planning to the Advisory Committee on Reconstruction under the Chairmanship of Mr. Cyril James, dated at Ottawa, March, 1944.

146. Order in Council P.C. 162, approved January 18, 1944: setting up an Industrial Production Co-operation Board for the purpose of promoting and encouraging the formation of labour-management production committees in war industries.

147. Order in Council P.C. 8893, approved January 21, 1944: to provide for an Agreement, under the authority of the Vocation Training Co-ordination Act, 1943, with any province, to assist the province in the extension and operation of apprentice training either by separate agreement or by the inclusion of an apprenticeship schedule in any existing Youth Training Agreement.

147a. Copy of the Report for the year ending March 31, 1944, on the activities carried on under the Vocational Training Co-ordination Act, 1942, including the Dominion-Provincial Youth Training Program and the Dominion-Provincial War Emergency Training Program.

148. Return showing:—

1. How many rural mail carriers have been appointed since January 1, 1942?
2. How many such appointments were made, (a) by the mere renewal of existing contracts; (b) following the acceptance of competitive bids; (c) in any other manner?

3. How many contracts granted under 2 (c), guaranteed payments in excess of two hundred dollars per annum?

4. How many contracts were renewed at a higher rate of payment than that guaranteed in the original contract?

5. What steps are taken to ascertain the probability of any individual, who tenders a bid for rural mail delivery, being able to render essential service for the amount of his bid?

6. What are the arrangements with respect to any rural mail carrier who requests leave of absence to enlist in the armed forces?

149. Report on the activities of War Assets Corporation Limited, and the Crown Assets Allocation Committee, pursuant to Order in Council P.C. 9108, approved November 29, 1943.

150. Return showing:—

1. In what currency are Canadian service personnel paid, (a) in Great Britain; (b) in Newfoundland?

2. If in sterling, at what rate of exchange?

3. Do Canadian personnel receive any part of their pay in North Africa, Sicily or in Italy, in other currencies than that of the Canadian dollars?

4. If so, what currencies, and at what rates of exchange?

150a. Return showing:—

1. Are the members of the armed service stationed overseas paid in the currency of the different countries in which they are stationed?
2. If so, (a) what is the amount of their pay in local currency; (b) what is the actual value of these currencies on the Canadian market; (c) by what means are Canadian funds transferred to these countries for the purpose of paying the members of the armed services?

151. Return showing:—

1. Has the Department of National Defence for Air disposed of any aircraft, aircraft parts or other equipment?
2. If so, who received the aircraft, parts or equipment?
3. Is the general public allowed to purchase aircraft, aircraft parts or equipment from the Department of National Defence for Air?

152. Return showing:—

1. What price per unit has the government paid for Fleet Finches Aircraft?
2. What is the overhaul price of this aircraft per unit?
3. How many have been disposed of through salvage?
4. At what prices and to what persons?
5. How many have been sold or otherwise disposed of to any of the united nations?

153. Return showing:—What facilities have the R.C.A.F. for religious worship in Canada?

153a. Return showing:—

1. (a) What additional pay for professional qualifications is awarded to legal officers in the R.C.A.F.; (b) what additional pay for professional qualifications is awarded to legal officers in the R.A.F.; (c) what additional pay for professional qualifications is awarded to medical officers in the R.C.A.F.; (d) what additional pay for professional qualifications is awarded to medical officers in the R.A.F.?

2. (a) How many officers employed as legal officers hold the rank of Wing Commander, or above, in the R.C.A.F.; (b) how many officers employed as medical officers hold the rank of Wing Commander, or above, in the R.C.A.F.?

3. (a) What is the maximum rank provided in the establishment of Command Headquarters for Assistant Judge Advocate-General, or highest rank of officers employed on legal duties; (b) what is the maximum rank provided in the establishment of Command Headquarters for Command Medical Officer, or highest rank of officers employed on medical duties; (c) what is the maximum rank provided in the establishment of Command Headquarters for Command Accounts officer, or highest rank of officers employed on account duties; (d) what is the reason for the difference in ranks of the answers to (a), (b), and (c), if any?

4. Is there a shortage, or a surplus, of legal officers in the R.C.A.F., or is the supply of such officers adequate?

5. Is there any difference in the rates of pay between that of an Army officer employed as a legal officer, and that of a R.C.A.F. officer of comparable rank, employed on comparable duties? If so, (a) what is such difference; (b) what is the reason for such difference?

154. Return showing:—

1. What was the quantity of canned vegetables being held in storage by the Department of Munitions and Supply or by any board of the government at January 1, 1944?

2. Where are the said canned goods being stored, and in what warehouses?

3. What are the quantities of each kind of canned vegetable?

154a. Return showing:—

1. Of the production of, (a) strawberries; (b) raspberries; (c) canning corn; (d) canning beans; (e) canning peas, in British Columbia in 1943, what percentage was produced west of the Cascades?

2. What is the estimated crop of the above-mentioned products for the current year in this area?

3. What is the rate of subsidy to be paid this year on fertilizer, (a) east of the Cascades in British Columbia; (b) west of the Cascades?

154b. Return showing:—

1. What stock of the following are on hand as at March 1, 1944: canned corn, canned beans, canned peas?

2. Are there any unfilled orders on hand for canned corn, canned beans, canned peas for Britain or elsewhere?

3. Is it expected sufficient corn, beans and peas will be produced for domestic and export market for 1944?

4. Are any supplies of canned corn, beans and peas being accumulated for export to occupied countries after the war? If not, why not?

5. Have canned corn, beans and peas been rationed in Canada? If not, why, and are they rationed now?

6. What is the average cost of production of corn, beans and peas in each province?

7. What is the minimum wage paid in vegetable canneries for males and females in each province for the following years: 1938, 1939, 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943?

8. What rate was paid per ton for each grade of corn, beans and peas by the canneries in each province during 1943?

9. Have any representations been made to the government regarding subsidies on corn, beans and peas? If so, by whom, and what amount was recommended in each case?

155. Return showing:—

1. Is the company known as Canadian Pacific Air Lines incorporated under the laws of the Dominion of Canada? If so, when was it incorporated?

2. Who are the officers and directors of Canadian Pacific Air Lines, and what are their addresses?

3. What companies are owned by, or are subsidiary to, Canadian Pacific Air Lines?

4. What functions have been assigned to Canadian Pacific Air Lines by its incorporation?

156. Return showing:—Order of the House for a copy of all letters, memoranda and other documents exchanged, etc., between Mr. J. P. Bickell, former president of Victory Aircraft Limited, and the Honourable the Minister of Munitions and Supply, or other official of the said department, touching on the resignation of Mr. Bickell from the presidency of the said company.

157. Return showing:—

1. How many Canadians are presently serving in the R.A.F. overseas?
2. How many R.A.F. personnel are presently serving in Canada?
3. What are the rates of pay in the R.A.F., and how do they compare with the Canadian rates?
4. Are the Canadian personnel serving in England subject to income tax? If so, what is the rate?
5. Are Canadian personnel who enlisted in England serving in the R.A.F. entitled to dependents' allowance, (a) for wife and family; (b) for mother or other dependents?
6. Are R.A.F. Canadian personnel on demobilization entitled to Canadian rehabilitation regulations, (a) men who are attached to the R.A.F.; (b) personnel who enlisted in England?

157a. Return showing:—

1. How many Canadians are presently serving in the R.A.F. overseas?
2. How many R.A.F. personnel are presently serving in Canada?

158. Return showing:—

1. Has the bridge over the Ashouapmonchouan river at St. Felicien, Roberval county, Quebec, been rebuilt or repaired?
2. Has traffic over highway No. 55 been renewed over this bridge?
3. What was the total cost for the repair, restoration or rebuilding of this bridge?
4. What portion of this cost was paid by the dominion government, and out of what appropriation was said grant made?

159. National Registration Regulations, together with notices and regulations with respect to persons about to leave Canada.

160. Substance of amendments to the British Commonwealth Air Training Plan Agreements dated 17th December, 1939; 7th January, 1941 and 5th June, 1942, agreed to as a result of discussions held in Ottawa, February 7 to February 15, 1944.

160a. Return showing the names and numbers of the airports established under the Joint Air Training Plan, which are to be closed during the year 1944 with the total cost to date of each airport, including cost of lands, buildings, runways, water supply, sewerage equipment and all other costs of construction.

161. Return showing:—

1. Has the attention of the government been drawn to the case of one Ewold Frigdrick, age 30, residing at 39 East Fiftieth street, Vancouver?
2. Is the said Frigdrick of German origin?
3. Was he naturalized, and if so, when?
4. Was said Frigdrick convicted and sentenced to jail? If so, will his naturalization be cancelled?
5. Is it the intention of the government to deport persons of alien enemy origin who, though naturalized, refused to serve Canada when called to do so under the laws of Canada?

162. Return to an Order of the House of February 11, 1944, for the list (names and addresses) of Canadian army casualties for Hong Kong, Dieppe, Sicily and Italy campaigns.

163. Return showing:—

1. What domestic retail ceiling price per pound has been established on alfalfa, red, alsike and alsike-white clover seeds?

2. Did the Special Products Board by regulation take over the exportation of the surplus of all such seeds?

3. Have any discussions been held or arrangements been made between the British Food Mission and the Special Products Board or any other organization in Canada respecting the exportation of such surplus seeds?

4. If so, what?

5. Was a price fixed by the Special Products Board for these exportable surpluses?

6. If so, at how much per pound for each kind of seed?

7. On what basis were these prices for export determined?

163a. Return to an Order of the House of February 14, 1944, for a copy of all press releases dealing with the sale and/or the prices of clover seeds in domestic and foreign markets from August 1, 1943, to date, issued by the Special Products Board, the Seed Branch of the Department of Agriculture or any other governmental body.

164. Return showing:—

1. Is the Petrolite Corporation Ltd., of Wilmington, Delaware, registered to do business in Canada?

2. Is the Petrolite Corporation the owner of patented or unpatented processes and inventions known as the Petreco process of electrical dehydration and the electrical purification process for de-salting petroleum products?

3. Has the Petrolite Corporation erected or installed plants or equipment in Canada for the use of its processes? If so, where?

4. Has the Petrolite Corporation entered into a contract or contracts, or agreements with any Canadian firms for the installation or use of its processes or equipment? If so, with what firm or firms?

5. Were the Canadian firms to whom the use of the processes were granted named or designated by the Minister of Munitions and Supply?

165. Statement with respect to the internment of Mr. Camillien Houde.

166. Return showing:—

1. What were the original amounts advanced by the dominion government for (a) seed; (b) feed (c) fodder, in each of the years 1917-1922 inclusive?

2. How much was added in each subsequent year for interest and other charges?

3. What amounts were repaid by way of, (a) interest; (b) principal, in each year from 1922 to December 31, 1943?

4. What balances remained at December 31, 1943?

167. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of February 16, 1944, for 1. A copy of Order in Council P.C. 10145, dated November 10, 1942, authorizing the payment to the province of Ontario of a grant for the construction of an all-weather road from, (a) Ramsay, on the Canadian Pacific Railway, to the property of the Jerome Gold Mines Limited; (b) Missanabie, to the property of Renabie Mines Limited.

2. Copy of P.C. 3197 dated April 19, 1943, authorizing the payment to the province of Ontario for the construction of an all-weather road from Savant Lake Station to the property of the St. Anthony Gold Mines Limited.

168. Return to an Order of the House of February 14, 1944, for a copy of each agreement entered into between the government, or any government department, or any official thereof and the Canadian Pacific Railway Company relative to the extension of spur lines into air training centres or the construction of sidings adjacent to such training centres.

168a. Order of the House for a copy of each agreement entered into between the government, or any government department, or any official thereof, and the Canadian National Railways relative to the extension of spur lines into air training centres or the construction of sidings adjacent to such training centres.

169. Return showing:—

1. Has the government, through the Department of Mines and Resources, advanced moneys to persons or corporations for the production of fluorspar in the county of Hastings?

2. If so, what are the names and addresses of the persons or corporations to whom such moneys were advanced, and what is the amount advanced to each?

3. Did the government advance the total amount necessary to operate the mine in any one or all cases, or was it necessary for the operator to invest any part of his own money?

4. To what persons or corporations, if any, did the government advance the full amount necessary to operate the mines?

5. What is the method of repayment and what amount has been repaid on each loan?

6. What security has the government for the repayment of the moneys loaned?

7. What has been the total tonnage of fluorspar ore produced to date from each mine financed by the government?

8. What has been the profit of each operator?

9. Is the operator permitted to make a profit before repayment has been made in full of all moneys advanced by the government?

170. Return showing:—

1. How many men in the armed forces, serving in Canada only, have been discharged from the service on account of pulmonary tuberculosis?

2. Were all of the men so discharged granted pensions for this disability?

3. If not, how many are not receiving such pension, and why?

4. To how many of these men are pensions being paid?

5. How many have been granted pensions for aggravation of this condition?

6. Were all of these men submitted to an X-ray examination on enlistment?

170a. Return showing:—

1. How many members of the armed forces have been discharged to civil life since the beginning of the present war?

2. Has a record been kept of employment placements of such discharged personnel?

3. If so, how many have been placed through facilities of National Employment Service and Welfare Division of the Department of Pensions and National Health?

4. How many are registered as out of work and seeking employment?

5. How many have received, (a) out of work benefit; (b) unemployment insurance benefits?

6. With respect to those receiving unemployment insurance benefits, has the government paid contributions into the unemployment insurance fund?

7. If so, to what amount?

8. How many discharged personnel have been awarded other benefits under the post discharge order?

170b. Return showing:—

1. How many members of the navy, army and air force have been discharged to civil life since the outbreak of the war?

2. Of these, how many served for, (a) less than three months; (b) more than three and less than six months; (c) more than six and less than twelve months; (d) more than twelve months?

3. How many served in Canada only?

4. How many had service in a theatre of war, as defined in the Pension Act?

170c. Return showing:—

1. How many men and women serving in the armed services in Canada have, (a) died; (b) been discharged due to a disability?

2. (a) In how many of these cases were the dependents of those who died refused a pension on the grounds that death was not incurred as a result of military duty; (b) how many pensions were granted on compassionate grounds?

3. (a) How many of those discharged due to disability were refused a pension on the grounds disability was not due to military service; (b) how many were granted pensions on compassionate grounds?

170d. Return showing:—

1. Are the members of the Royal Canadian Air Force and of the Royal Canadian Navy arriving on leave in Canada or discharged from overseas allowed to go direct to their homes without first reporting at Ottawa?

2. What are the rules of these two services in this connection?

170e. Return showing:—

1. How many officers serving in the Canadian army overseas have been returned to Canada with a recommendation that they be discharged and not further employed, or with a recommendation of a similar nature?

2. What was the rank of each of these officers?

3. On what grounds were these recommendations made, and how many officers have been returned on each of these grounds?

4. In how many cases have the recommendations been acted upon?

170f. Return showing:—

1. Why was the recommendation of the Canadian Army Overseas that the 213 officers it returned to Canada be discharged, not carried out in 142 cases?

2. What was the rank of each of these 142 officers?

3. In what branch of the service is each of these 142 officers employed at present, and what is the nature of his employment?

4. What was the rank of each of the 71 officers who were discharged?

5. Were any of these 71 officers awarded pensions?

171. Return to an Order of the House of February 14, 1944, for a copy of any memoranda issued in October or November, 1943, to the men of the Canadian Forestry Corps who returned to Canada from overseas; and in particular, a copy of a memorandum entitled "General Information," purporting to be instructions to the men of the Canadian Forestry Corps who returned to Canada.

171a. Return showing:—

1. Was the Canadian Forestry Corps despatched for service in Great Britain? If so, for how long did it remain overseas?

2. How many officers and how many men received orders during September and October, 1943, to return to Canada?

3. Did such officers and men upon their return proceed to Debert camp, Nova Scotia? If so, what information, instructions or advice was given to them regarding their employment in forestry work in Canada?

4. Were these men of the Canadian Forestry Corps interviewed at Debert by Selective Service Officials? If so, to what purpose?

5. Were these men advised and given assurances that during their occupation in forestry work in Canada they would receive the same privileges, protection and salary as they received while on active service overseas?

6. Was one group of these men eventually established at Sussex camp, New Brunswick? If so, were they placed in charge of all fatigue and guard duty at that camp?

7. Was another group of these men sent to Hastings Park, Vancouver?

8. Why were these men returned to Canada from active duty overseas?

9. How many of the Canadian Forestry Corps so returned were category "A", and how many of these men have been remustered and transferred back overseas?

10. Did these men enlist voluntarily for the duration of the war?

11. On whose authority were orders issued for the return of officers and men of the Canadian Forestry Corps in September and October, 1943?

12. How many of the officers of the Canadian Forestry Corps so returned have, (a) reverted to their reserve status; (b) reverted to civilian life, and in either case was this done on instruction from authorities in Ottawa?

172. Return showing:—What clothing allowance, if any, is granted to officers of the armed services, (a) on retirement; (b) on resignation of their commissions?

172a. Return showing:—

1. Does each one of the three armed services supply the same units of clothing to non-commissioned officers and men? If not, what are the exceptions?

2. Does each service have the same regulations with respect to replacements? If not, what are the major differences?

172b. Return showing: —

1. What is the cost of a walking-out uniform for other ranks in the army and air force, (a) tunic; (b) trousers; (c) shirt; (d) tie; (e) shoes; (f) cap?

2. How many of each are issued, and at what intervals?

3. What clothing is issued to a soldier on his discharge?

4. What is the cost of clothing per annum for each inmate of the penitentiaries?

5. What clothing items are issued to each convict per year?

6. What clothing is issued per annum to A.R.P. wardens; what is the cost of each article?

172c. Return showing:—

1. What is being done on this the forty-seventh day of the session as to increase allowances for civilian clothing of ex-service men honourably discharged from the forces after serving overseas, for soldiers, sailors and airmen beyond \$65?

2. What amount of cash in addition to a grant for clothing is given to them?

173. Return showing:—

1. Is there a shortage of nurses in Canada?
2. If so, what is the government doing to overcome the shortage?
3. Is the government offering any inducement to women to enter the nursing profession?
4. Has the government any plan to build up a nursing service for the post-war period?

174. Return showing:—

1. What are the names of all officers who have been appointed to the acting or substantive rank of lieutenant-general, major-general and brigadier in the Canadian forces since September 1, 1939?
2. What was the date of each such appointment?
3. Where are each of the above officers now stationed?
4. What duties are each of the above officers performing?
5. What pay, separation and other per diem allowances are being paid to each officer?

174a. Return showing:—

1. How many members of the armed forces are serving in Canada in the following ranks: brigadier, major-general, lieutenant-general, and what is the rate of pay and allowance in each case?
2. How many members of the armed forces are serving in Canada in the following ranks: air commodore, air vice-marshal, air marshal, air chief marshal, and what is the rate of pay for each?

174b. Return showing:—

1. (a) How many members of the Canadian army, permanent force, enlisted prior to August 31, 1939, have been commissioned as officers;
- (b) Of those commissioned, how many now hold the ranks, acting or confirmed, of (1) captain, (2) major, (3) lt.-colonel, and (4) colonel;
- (c) How many of these are serving in Canada at National Defence Headquarters, district camp commands, training centres, and/or other home war establishments;
- (d) How many of these are graded for pay as classified in F.R. & I., as staff or specialist officers?
2. (a) How many members of the permanent force, not holding commissions prior to August 31, 1939, have been retired on pension as officers;
- (b) How many permanent force officers commissioned since August 31, 1939, who are below medical category to proceed overseas, have been retained in the service, and why are they retained;
- (c) How many in a medical category qualifying them for overseas service have been retained in Canada, and why?
3. (a) How many such officers, commissioned as quartermasters or specialists without passing any examinations, have been granted the rank of major or higher, and on what grounds;
- (b) Is it compulsory for officers in the permanent force to undergo regular medical examinations if they have less than fifteen years service;
- (c) Have any been kept in the permanent force without regular medical examinations, and if so, what number?

174c. Return showing:—

1. Since the outbreak of war, how many officers with services with field units overseas have been appointed to the M.G.O.'s branch at N.D.H.Q.?
2. How many in this branch at the present time have had such experience?
3. What are the names in each case?

175. Return showing:—

1. As of the 31st of January, 1944, what are the names of the employees of the Wartime Information Board?
2. What are the salaries paid to each?
3. What allowances and expenses are paid to each?
4. How many of these are full-time employees?
5. How many of these are part-time employees or special writers?
6. How are the part-time employees or special writers paid?

175a. Return showing:—

1. How many copies of a booklet of Canadian Affairs entitled "Canada Thinks of the Future", Vol. I, No. 14, by Morley Callaghan (The Marsh Report), were published, and who authorized it?
2. Where was it circulated, and at what cost?
3. Why was this contentious booklet circulated among troops overseas, and for what purpose?
4. What has been the total cost of all these publications, how many were issued, and where were they circulated overseas?
5. Will issues like these be discontinued in future?

176. Return showing:—

1. What are the present wholesale prices, by carload and per ton, of flour-milling by-products, delivered to Montreal and Quebec?
2. What are the prices of the same by-products delivered to Sherbrooke, Three Rivers, Rivière du Loup, and Toronto?

177. Return showing:—

1. Have the railway companies been granted permission to increase fares in Canada?
2. If so, what reasons were given when the request was made for the increase?
3. Will wages be increased to the employees?

177a. Return showing:—What has been paid by the government to, (a) the Canadian Pacific Railway Company; (b) the Canadian National Railways, during this war for each of the years 1939, 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943?

177b. Supplementary Return to an Order of the House of February 24, 1944, for a Return showing what has been paid by the government to, (a) the Canadian Pacific Railway Company; (b) the Canadian National Railways, during this war for each of the years 1939, 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943?

178. Return showing:—

1. What amount was paid out in subsidies to producers of food products during each of the fiscal years, 1941-42, 1942-43, and the present fiscal year to date?
2. On what food products were subsidies paid in each year as above?
3. How much was paid on each particular product in each year as above?

179. Return showing:—

1. Did the government place an embargo on the importation of asbestos cloth and any other asbestos products from the United Kingdom?
2. If so, when was it imposed, and why?
3. Was a survey made to determine what stocks of asbestos cloth and asbestos material were available in Canada for ship repairs and ship construction prior to the embargo being imposed?
4. What quantity of asbestos cloth and other asbestos materials was there on hand in Canada at the time the embargo was imposed?
5. Is such an embargo now in force?

180. Order of the House for a copy of the report of enumerators who tabulated prices paid to packers by retailers for pork products during the month of May, 1942, and referred to in the annual report of the Minister of Agriculture for the year ending March 31, 1943, on page 124.

181. Copy of correspondence between the Prime Minister of Canada and the Honourable George A. Drew, Premier of Ontario, with respect to the operations of the Wartime Alcoholic Beverages Order, and its application to the sales of alcoholic beverages in the various provinces.

181a. Copy of a letter dated March 10, 1944, addressed to the Prime Minister of Canada by the Honourable George A. Drew, Premier of the Province of Ontario, with respect to the application of the Wartime Alcoholic Beverages Order.

181b. Copy of correspondence between the Right Honourable W. L. Mackenzie King, Prime Minister and the Honourable George A. Drew, Premier of Ontario, with respect to increasing the supply of spirits available to the Province of Ontario.

182. Return showing:—

1. Under the jurisdiction of the British Columbia Security Commission, how many Japanese were moved from the coast to settlements at Sandon, New Denver, Slocan City, Lemon Creek and Kaslo in West Kootenay district of British Columbia?
2. How many have since been moved from each of these Japanese communities to other provinces?

182a. Return showing:—

1. How many persons of Japanese origin are permitted to live and to do business or work in the prohibited area in British Columbia?
2. Have any persons of Japanese origin who were removed from the prohibited area in British Columbia been granted permission to visit the Pacific coast prohibited area? If so, how many permits have been issued, and for what reasons?
3. How many radio receiving sets are in use in each camp where persons of Japanese origin are located in the interior of British Columbia?
4. Which of the said camps have schools; how many; what are the names of the teachers, and what are the qualifications of these teachers?
5. What salary is paid to each school teacher in camps where Japanese are located?
6. What are the names, addresses and business or occupation of persons of Japanese origin who are allowed to remain in prohibited areas?

182b. Copy of report of the Royal Commission on complaints of Japanese in British Columbia and which report was made to the Honourable the Minister of Labour.

182c. Return showing:—

1. What is the total personnel of the British Columbia Security Commission, and what are the names, position, or duties, and salary of each member?

2. How many are located in Vancouver; how many elsewhere than Vancouver, and at what points?

3. Has there been any reduction in the staff of the British Columbia Security Commission during the past fiscal year, and if so, by how many?

4. How many parcels of real estate formerly owned by Japanese have been disposed of by the Custodian of Enemy Property to date?

5. What amount has been realized from such sales, and what disposition has been made of the funds so realized?

6. In what cities, towns or districts was the property situated which has been disposed of by the custodian?

182d. Order of the House,—For a copy of the evidence taken by the commission appointed under Order in Council P.C. 9498 to inquire into the provisions made for the welfare and maintenance of persons of the Japanese race resident in settlement in the province of British Columbia.

183. Return showing:—

1. How many chaplains have been appointed in each of His Majesty's Forces since the war began, by provinces or military districts?

2. On what basis are they appointed; what is the unit of soldier population for each denomination per chaplain per unit; who authorized it, and what is their pay and all other allowances or emoluments?

3. Is each chaplain who enlists required to go overseas later, and what military experience is required before their appointment?

4. Are there senior, or chief, or head chaplains in each military district; what are such officers' rank, pay and other emoluments, and are they required to go overseas by rotation after a certain period?

5. Are all these chaplains required in the various services for Home Training purposes, where in cities there are so many clergy not of the enlisted forces, who are willing to help in chaplain work in their denominations?

184. Return to an Order of the House of February 28, 1944, for a copy of a letter dated November 6, 1943, and a letter dated December 15, 1943, addressed to the Honourable the Minister of Labour and the Honourable the Minister of National Defence from the Canadian Active Service Force Association, Post I, Toronto, together with copies of the replies thereto.

185. Return showing:—

1. What was the estimated, (a) acreage; (b) yield, in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta in 1943 of the following crops of oil-bearing seed plants: flaxseed, sunflowers and Argentine rape-seed?

2. What is the target acreage in these seeds for 1944?

3. To date, how much has been processed in these provinces, and at what points?

4. To date, how much from these has been processed in Ontario and other provinces?

186. Return showing:—

1. A list of the Dominion of Canada bond issues since outbreak of the present war, (a) public issues; (b) issues sold to chartered banks; (c) issues sold to Bank of Canada, showing issue dates and maturity, rate of interest and amount of issue.

2. A list of Dominion of Canada bond redemptions since the outbreak of war.

3. The holdings of dominion bonds by the chartered banks as at August 31, 1939, and December 31, 1943.

4. The holdings of dominion bonds by the Bank of Canada on August 31, 1939, and December 31, 1943.

5. Canadian deposits in chartered banks as at August 31, 1939, and December 31, 1943.

6. Cash reserves of chartered banks as at August 31, 1939, and December 31, 1943.

187. Return showing:—

1. What is the present total number of permanent force naval officers in the Canadian navy?

2. What is the present total number of permanent force naval officers in the Canadian navy of the rank of lieutenant or over?

3. What percentage of the latter (2) have gone to sea in the present war for a period of six months or more?

4. What is the present total number of reserve naval officers in the Canadian navy of the rank of lieutenant or over?

5. What percentage of such officers have gone to sea in the present war for a period of six months or more?

6. What percentage of the total permanent naval officers have been decorated or cited?

7. What percentage of the total reserve officers have been decorated or cited?

8. Why is the outward distinction between permanent and reserve naval officers preserved?

9. What proportion of the total enlisted navy personnel are regularly at sea?

187a. Return showing:—

1. Are members from the ranks in the R.C.N. stationed in Ottawa being granted \$1.45 per day as subsistence allowance?

2. Are members of the other armed forces also stationed in Ottawa still granted only \$1.25 per day as subsistence allowance?

3. If so, what is the reason why this allowance is not the same as for members of the R.C.N.?

188. Return showing:—

1. How many civil servants have been added to the government payroll since August 1, 1943?

2. Of these, how many are permanent and how many are temporary?

188a. Return showing:—

1. Is the amount paid to civil servants in Yukon made up of stated sums termed salary, and stated sums termed living allowances?

2. Are both such sums considered salary for the purpose of income tax?

3. Are civil servants in Yukon assessed income tax on both of such payments?

4. If the answers to questions 2 and 3 are in the affirmative, are such civil servants assessed on both said amounts for contribution to civil servants' superannuation fund and, if not why are they assessed income tax on both?

188b. Return showing:—

1. Have any temporary or permanent certificates of appointment been issued by the Civil Service Commission to men of military age and fit for military service for employment in the public service since the passing of Order in Council P.C. 4759 on June 27, 1941, to March 31, 1944?

2. If so, what are, (a) the names of the appointees; (b) details of the position appointed to; (c) dates and reasons for such appointments?

188c. Return showing:—

1. How many government employees, both permanent and temporary, including those working on wartime boards, were there as of March 31, 1944?

2. How many were there on March 31, 1943?

189. Return showing:—

1. How many inspectors in Canada are charged with the responsibility of inspecting beef in the various packing plants in Canada to determine whether or not such beef should be condemned?

2. What are the names of such inspectors, and what are the names and locations of the plants each inspects?

3. How many carcasses were condemned in 1943 by each of such inspectors?

4. Was the packing plant in each case reimbursed for the carcasses condemned? If so, how much was paid to packing plants in this connection?

5. If packing plants were not reimbursed, what value did the inspector place upon carcasses which were condemned?

189a. Return to an Order of the House of March 13, 1944, for a copy of all letters, including copies of orders enclosed, telegrams or other orders or communications, passing between the Meat Board or any of its members and its officials, on the one hand, and meat packing companies, wholesale butchers or commission merchants, doing business in the City of Toronto, during the months of July and August, 1942, and having reference to the government agreeing to take 20 per cent of all beef slaughterings; also a statement showing the number of carcasses so taken, from whom, and at what price in each case.

190. Return showing:—

1. What space, if any, has been rented by the Department of National Defence from J. Clark & Son, Limited, in the city of Fredericton or elsewhere in the province of New Brunswick?

2. What rent is being paid for each such space, and what are the terms of the rental arrangement with respect to time, termination of the rental contract, renewal arrangements, and other like conditions?

3. What space, if any, has been rented by the Wartime Prices and Trade Board from J. Clark & Son, Limited, in the City of Saint John or elsewhere in the province of New Brunswick?

4. What rent is being paid for each such space, and what are the terms of the rental arrangement with respect to time, termination of the contract, renewal arrangements and other like conditions?

191. Return showing:—

1. In view of the danger of a sugar shortage in Canada during 1943 and 1944, has the government adopted any measures to stimulate beet sugar production in Canada during 1944 and 1945?

2. If so, what measures?

3. If not, why not?

191a. Return showing:—

1. How many pounds of sugar were produced in Canada during each of the years 1941, 1942 and 1943?

2. What amount of excise tax was collected on beet sugar by the federal government during each of these years?

3. How much of such tax was returned to the beet growers as a rebate in each of the above years?

191b. Return showing:—

1. What steps, if any, are being taken to relieve the double transportation of raw sugar being hauled over the lines of the Canadian National Railways from the port of Halifax, Nova Scotia, to inland points to be refined?

2. Do the reasons given for the closing down of the Acadia Sugar Refinery at Woodside, Halifax county, N.S., still exist?

3. Do transportation difficulties now exist to such an extent as they did two years ago?

4. Does the scarcity of fuel oil, for operating purposes, exist to the same extent as it did when the plant was closed?

192a. Return showing:—

1. How many Wartime Prices and Trade Board offices are there in New Brunswick?

2. Where are they located?

3. How many officials are attached to each office, and what are their grades?

4. What are the names, positions and home addresses of each of these employees of each of these offices?

5. What are the salaries and other remunerations received by each of these employees?

6. How many of these employees are returned soldiers, (a) of the war of 1914-18; (b) of the present war?

7. Who recommended these employees, and how were they appointed?

8. If these appointments were made by the Civil Service Commission, were they made after examinations?

9. Who were the examiners, and at what places were such examinations held?

192b. Return showing:—

1. In what places in Canada have buildings been erected for the use of Wartime Prices and Trade Board?

2. What is the completed cost of such buildings and property?

3. At what points in Canada have premises been leased for the use of Wartime Prices and Trade Board?

4. What are the rental charges for each such property, stating period and date of expiration of leases?

5. What has been the cost of alterations and improvements to each such rented premises?

6. What has been the cost of furnishings and equipment supplied in, (a) special constructed premises; (b) each of the leased premises?

193. Copy of all Orders in Council, correspondence and other documents relating to contracts made between the Granby Mining Corporation, of Princeton, British Columbia, and Japanese interests, together with a copy of such contracts submitted to the government from time to time for its consideration or approval.

194. Return showing:—

1. With respect to soldier settlers who signed quit claim deeds or who were served with thirty days' notice of repossession between April 1, 1941, and March 31, 1943, what was the date of the original purchase of the land in each case?

2. What was the original purchase price?

3. What amount was advanced for implements, stock, etc.?

4. What amount was paid by each settler on account of his loan?

5. What amount was written off in each case?

6. How many acres of new land were brought under cultivation?

7. What was the valuation of the land and improvements at the time of rescission of the contract either by quit claim deed or thirty days' notice?

194a. Copy of an Order in Council passed during the early months of the war which made provision for deducting a certain amount each month from the dependents' allowance of wives or other dependents of soldier settlers who enlisted in the present war and applying such certain amount on the indebtedness of the soldier settlers concerned to the Soldier Settlement Board.

195. Return showing:—

1. Have labour organizations, management or others made requests since the start of the war that suitable quarters be provided to carry on plumbing work at H.M.C. dockyard, Halifax, Nova Scotia?

2. Has the government provided the desired quarters? If so, are buildings being renovated or newly built?

3. What are sizes of required buildings, type of construction, and estimated costs completed?

4. If new buildings are being erected, from what firms were tenders requested; what was the amount of each; to whom was contract let, and at what price?

5. Has machinery and equipment for plumbing work been kept in storage pending the securing of suitable quarters? If so, where?

196. Order of the House for a copy of the questionnaire (or questionnaires) sent out by Dr. G. M. Weir in connection with the preparation of his report on post-war employment opportunities.

197. Order of the House for a return showing:—

1. How many members, by provinces, of the North West Field Forces (1885) are still living, according to the records of the Department of Pensions and National Health?

2. How many have been given any form of aid?

3. How many of such force are known to be in necessitous circumstances?

4. What is being done, if anything, towards granting them \$40 a month pension, or some grant or living allowance in lieu of pension, including hospitalization and other reasonable allowances?

5. A copy of all correspondence received by the department since November 1, 1943, to the end of January, 1944, in relation to this matter.

198. Order of the House for a copy of the agreements between the Canadian Wheat Board and, (a) interior elevator companies; (b) terminal elevator companies; (c) export grain companies; (d) brokers, in connection with the handling and exporting of Canadian wheat for the crop year 1942-43 and to date for the crop year 1943-44.

199. Return showing:—

1. What appointments have there been since January 1, 1935, to the chief executive positions on the staff at Dorchester penitentiary, stating names, salaries and duties?

2. Have such appointments been for replacements or to fill newly created positions?

3. What positions did such persons fill prior to above appointments, stating locations, duties and salaries?

4. Have there been any promotions from the local staff? If so, give names, positions and salaries?

5. Did the Royal Commission investigating these penal institutions in 1936 recognize the superior capabilities of the staff at Dorchester?

6. Has the Amalgamated Civil Servants of Canada or the local council at Dorchester protested against failure to make promotions from the staff at Dorchester, and if so, what action was taken?

200. Reference by the Canadian Government to the International Joint Commission concerning the development of the water resources of the Columbia River System, dated Ottawa, March 9, 1944.

200a. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of April 17, 1944, for a copy of all letters, telegrams and other correspondence between the federal government, the government of the United States, the province of British Columbia and any electric power interests, together with any reports by or references to the International Joint Commission, on matters concerning the Columbia Watershed and those tributary thereto, from January 1, 1940, to date.

201. Return showing:—

1. What amount of money was spent on the development of the Athabaska tar sands last year, 1943?

2. What amount was authorized and/or spent for the year 1944?

3. What office buildings have been built up to date, and what is the cost?

4. What residential buildings have been built up to date, and what is the cost?

5. How many of these residences are occupied?

6. How many persons are employed in these offices?

7. How many persons are employed in other occupations at this plant?

8. Has the pilot-plant been started yet? If so, how long before it will be completed?

9. When is it expected that this pilot-plant will be in operation, and what will be its capacity?

10. What plans are there for further development this year?

11. Is it expected that gasoline will be produced in quantity this year?

202. Return showing:—

1. Has the government, through the Wartime Metals Corporation or any other department or agency, acquired the Emerald Mine at Salmo, B.C.?

2. If so, what price was paid for the property?

3. In whose name does the title at present rest?

4. Has the original owner been fully paid?
5. What sum has been spent in development?
6. How many tons of concentrate have been produced since the opening of the property?
7. To whom have these concentrates been sold?
8. What sum has been realized from their sale?
9. Has this tonnage been shipped or is it still stored at the mine?
10. When did this property cease to operate?
11. How many employees were on the payroll at that time?
12. For how many of these were new positions found?

203. Return showing:—

1. Was an Order in Council passed at any time since the outbreak of war authorizing the payment of a subsidy on mine props or mining ties? If so, what was the number of the said order, upon what date was it passed, and what was the rate of subsidy established?

2. What was the purpose of passing an Order in Council authorizing the payment of a subsidy on mine props or ties?

3. What was the total amount paid to producers of mine props and ties in Alberta, by way of subsidy, between the date of the passing of the said order authorizing the payment of such subsidy and January 19, 1944?

4. Was a ceiling price placed on mine props and ties at any time between January 1, 1942, and January 19, 1944? If so, what was the ceiling price in Alberta?

5. Have prisoners of war been engaged in cutting mine props and ties in Alberta at any time between January 1, 1942, and January 19, 1944? If so, where were they engaged in such work, and what was the total number of thousand lineal feet cut by such prisoners?

6. Were the mine props and ties cut by prisoners of war in Alberta sold? If so, by whom, to whom, and at what price per thousand lineal feet?

7. Was the subsidy paid on mine props and ties which were cut by prisoners of war in Alberta?

8. Were the mine props and ties cut by prisoners of war in Alberta sold at the prevailing rate for such materials?

9. Upon what date were the producers of mine props and ties in Alberta who were receiving subsidy payments notified that the subsidy was cancelled, and upon what date did the cancellation order become effective?

10. Did the cancellation order prevent the collection of the subsidy for mine props and ties which were cut prior to the cancellation date of the subsidy but not sold?

11. Were the producers of mine props and ties notified at any time since January 1, 1944, that they might increase the sale price of same? If so, by what amount could the price be increased?

12. Has the government or any government board increased the sale price of mine props and mine ties produced by prisoners of war since January 1, 1944? If not, why not?

204. Return showing:—

1. At what date was the Honourable Sir Eugène Fiset appointed Lieutenant-Governor of the province of Quebec?

2. What amounts have been paid to him by the dominion government each year since his appointment either by way of remuneration or for other expenses in connection with the office of Lieutenant-Governor of the province of Quebec?

3. What amounts have been paid to him by the provincial government of Quebec each year since his appointment either by way of remuneration or for other expenses in connection with the office of Lieutenant-Governor of the province of Quebec?

4. At what date did the Honourable Sir Eugène Fiset become entitled to an annual pension of \$6,300 pursuant to the Militia Pension Act?

5. During what years has this amount of \$6,300 been paid to the Honourable Sir Eugène Fiset?

6. What is the case which is to be brought before the Exchequer Court of Canada referred to in paragraph 3 of Order in Council P.C. 9380, dated the 7th December, 1943?

7. Has this case been actually brought before the Exchequer Court of Canada? If so, has a judgment been rendered, and what is the said judgment?

8. What are the additional expenses incurred by the Honourable Sir Eugène Fiset in the exercise of his office as referred to in paragraph 5 of Order in Council P.C. 9380, dated the 7th December, 1943?

9. Was the amount of \$4,000 per year provided by Order in Council P.C. 9380 of the 7th December, 1943, actually paid to the Honourable Sir Eugène Fiset? If so, when, and for what fiscal years?

10. (a) What are the extraordinary expenses incurred by the Honourable Sir Eugène Fiset and caused by the war; (b) what provision of the War Measures Act, referred to in Order in Council P.C. 9380 of the 7th December, 1943, provides for payment of the said extraordinary expenses to the Honourable Sir Eugène Fiset?

205. Return to an Order of the House of February 28, 1944, for a copy of all letters, communications, reports or other documents dated between October 2, 1939, and August 6, 1943, wherein one James Clark, of Toronto, formerly an inspector of or in the employ of the Department of National Defence, and/or the Inspection Board of the United Kingdom and Canada, alleged or complained that army boots of inferior quality or manufacture were being manufactured for or supplied to the government by the firms named by him, together with copies of all letters received by the Minister of National Defence, or the acting minister, from the said James Clark, and/or anyone on his behalf, relative to his complaints with regard thereto or requesting an investigation thereof, and the replies made thereto since August 6, 1943, to date hereof.

206. Copy of Order in Council passed under the authority of the War Measures Act, Chapter 206, R.S.C., 1927, and the National Resources Mobilization Act, 1940, as follows:—

Order in Council P.C. 1355, approved March 4, 1944: revising and consolidating the National Selective Service Mobilization Regulations.

206a. Order in Council P.C. 1977, approved March 20, 1944: amending the National Selective Service Civilian Regulations (Order in Council P.C. 246, of January 19, 1943) providing for prosecution of Alternative Service Workers who fail to report back after being given leave of absence.

206b. Copy of Orders in Council passed under the authority of the War Measures Act, Chapter 206, R.S.C. 1927, and the National Resources Mobilization Act, 1940, as follows:—

Order in Council P.C. 2626, approved April 13, 1944: amending the National Selective Service Civilian Regulations, with a view to decreasing the number of Canadian Officers and seamen shipping on board foreign-going ships of non-Canadian registry..

Order in Council P.C. 2675, approved April 13, 1944: amending the National Selective Service Civilian Regulations—Permit Cards.

206c. Return showing:—

1. Has the government received any protest against the putting into force of the order of the Minister of Labour, dated the 28th January, 1944, authorized by Order in Council P.C. 9919 of the 31st December, 1943, obliging employers to report their employees even if such employees are their sons or relatives.

2. If so, from whom did such protest originate?

206d. Return showing:—

1. With the exception of those mentioned in sub-paragraphs 2 (a), (b), (c), (d), (f), (g), (h), (i), (j), (k) of paragraph 3 of the National Selective Service Mobilization Regulations, how many men of military age have been declared, (a) physically fit; (b) physically unfit, in each province?

2. How many men of each province are in each one of the three branches of the Canadian army?

3. How many Canadians are in each one of the three branches of the British forces?

4. How many men of military age are now engaged in each province in the following occupations, (a) farming; (b) fishing; (c) lumbering; (d) mining; (e) shipbuilding; (f) aircraft production; (g) ammunition and gun production; (h) arsenals and small arms ammunition production; (i) automotive and tank production; (j) chemicals and explosives production; (k) gauge and cutting tool production; (l) petroleum refineries; (m) railways and telegraph lines; (n) construction and repair of locomotives and railway cars and maintenance of the right of way of the railways; (o) other transportation systems (tramways and trucks); (p) power companies (excluding tramway conductors); (q) dominion public service; (r) merchant marine; (s) the pulp and paper industry; (t) the textile industry (including the manufacture of military equipment); (u) the steel industry; (v) the rubber industry; (w) the leather industry; (x) the operation and repair of telephone lines; (y) the manufacture of alcohol for war purposes; (z) newspapers and periodicals?

206e. Return showing: —

1. Has the government received any protest against the putting into force of the order of the Minister of Labour, dated the 28th January, 1944, authorized by Order in Council P.C. 9919 of the 31st December, 1943, obliging employers to report their employees even if such employees are their sons or relatives?

2. If so, from whom did such protest originate?

206f. Return showing:—

1. What are the respective nationalities of the 9,867 aliens, referred to at page 2699 of *Hansard*, who have signed the declaration set out in Schedule "A" to National Selective Service Mobilization Regulations 1944 (P.C. 1355), in which exemption is claimed from the provisions of such regulations?

2. How many of each nationality were in each administrative division?

206g. Return showing how many male citizens resident in the United States between the ages of 18 and 36, who have not declared their intention of becoming citizens of the United States, are estimated to have been or to be subject to service in the Canadian armed forces, (a) as of January, 1943, (b) as of this date.

206h. Return showing:—

1. How many circular letters were printed, mimeographed or requisitioned in or by each military district since June, 1940, to notify conscripts, (a) that their application for an extension of leave had been refused by the National War Services Board or by the Mobilization Commission, and (b) that they had to report, without further notice, to the military district depot?

2. How many of such forms were sent by the Department of National Defence, the Department of National War Services or the Department of Labour to the liaison officer of each military district?

3. How many of such forms have not been used in each military district?

206i. Order in Council P.C. 4427, approved June 9, 1944: amending the National Selective Service Mobilization Regulations, 1944,—providing for the holding of convicted persons for military service.

206j. Order in Council P.C. 4238, approved June 16, 1944: amending the National Selective Service Mobilization Regulations by bringing under the Regulations, by proclamation, men born in the year 1926 but with the proviso that they shall not be served with "Orders—Medical Examinations" until they have reached the age of 18 years and 6 months.

206k. Return to an Order of the House of June 12, 1944, for a copy of all amendments to the Mobilization Regulations (a) of the Department of Labour, and (b) of the Department of National Defence.

207. Return showing:—

1. Does the government maintain recruiting offices in the United States for enlistment in the army, navy or air force?

2. If so, what is the address of each recruiting office?

3. Have any such recruiting offices in the United States been closed?

4. If so, which offices have been closed?

5. What was the rank, pay and allowances, living expenses, travelling expenses, etc., of each member of the staff of the closed offices?

6. How many recruits were obtained through the offices now closed?

7. What has been the total expense of each office now closed?

8. Are there any recruiting offices in the United States still operating?

9. If so, what staff is there at each office?

10. What is the rank, pay and allowances, living expenses, travelling expenses, etc., of each member of the staff?

11. What is the total expense of each office to date?

12. How many recruits were obtained through each office?

208. Return showing:—

1. The number of licences issued under authority of Order No. S.C. 25, Steel Controller, dated March 5, 1943, from the date of the Order to January 31, 1944.

2. A list of the names of the firms or persons so licensed in the cities of Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg and Vancouver.

3. A list of the names of firms or persons who have applied for but who have been refused licences in each of the aforementioned cities.

209. Return showing:—

1. What firm or firms had the contract for construction of, (a) buildings; (b) runways, at the airport at Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan?

2. What was the name of the superintendent on the job?

3. Was Verne Crocket appointed as a foreman, and if so, (a) what is his age; (b) what pay did he receive; (c) what were his qualifications?

4. Was Sidney Tuff appointed as a foreman, and if so, (a) what is his age; (b) what pay did he receive; (c) what were his qualifications?

5. Was George Denny appointed as a foreman, and if so, (a) what is his age; (b) what pay did he receive; (c) what were his qualifications?

6. Did the three men named in questions three, four and five work directly under the authority of the superintendent?

7. Was Albert B. Wyley a foreman on this work, and if so, (a) what pay did he receive; (b) what were his qualifications?

8. How many men were on the payroll under the foremanship of Mr. Wyley during July and August, 1940?

9. How many additional men were placed on the payroll under Wyley during September, October and November, 1940?

210. Return showing:—

1. Under whose name the following vessels were registered in August, 1939, and on August 31, 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943, respectively, named *Bricoldoc* (4364/3279), *Canadoc* (4589/2894), *Cartierdoc* (1919-/1132), *Collinadoc* (1780/1285), *Coteaudoc* (1940/1160), *Farrandoc* (1925/1143), *Fort Wildoc* (4542/3055), *Ganandoc* (1904/1144), *Hamildoc* (1926-1151), *Kenordoc* (1789/), *Kingdoc* (1926/1152), *Lachinedoc* (1926/1149), *Lavalldoc* (1918/1142), *Lawrencedoc* (1924/1144), *Mantadoc* (4466/3060), *Mondoc* (1926/1147), *Newbrundoc* (1934/1152), *Novadoc* (1779/), *Ontadoc* (4467/3082), *Portadoc*, *Prescodoc* (1936/1151), *Prindoc* (3813/2837), *Quedoc* (3072/1874), *Sarniadoc* (1940/1160), *Saskadoc* (4611/2876), *Soodoc* (4575/388), *Soreldoc* (1926/1147), *Thordoc* (2158/), *Torondoc* (1927/1151), *Troisdoc* (1925/1146), *Vandoc* (488/2539), *Wellandoc* (1926/1115).

2. Which of the said vessels, if any, were requisitioned (a) for use by the Government of Canada, or any Board or Crown company under authority of the Government of Canada; what compensation was paid and to whom, for same, per diem, per month or otherwise; (b) by the Canadian Shipping Board acting as agents for other than Canadian authorities?

3. Which of the said vessels were purchased by the Government of Canada, and what amounts were paid or contracted to be paid for each vessel, showing date of purchase or acquisition, and date or terms of payment, and under what act or statute the said vessels were requisitioned or purchased?

210a. Return showing:—

1. Having reference to the acquisition of the following six ships from the Patterson Steamship Company, viz., *Coteaudoc*, *Farrandoc*, *Ganandoc*, *Lachinedoc*, *Soreldoc*, and the *Wellandoc*, how was the valuation arrived at?

2. Was it by arbitration? If so, who was the arbitrator?

3. If by direct negotiations, who acted, (a) for the Patterson Steamship Company; (b) for the government of Canada?

4. Having reference to Return No. 210, were the following seven Canadian ships, viz., the *Mondoc*, *Novadoc*, *Portadoc*, *Prescodoc*, *Sarniadoc*, *Torondoc*, and the *Troisdoc*, reported as lost by enemy action, under charter to the government of Canada or to the government of any of the united nations? If so, to whom were they chartered, and by whom was such chartering negotiated?

5. Having reference to Return No. 210, (a) was the rate of hire of \$125 per day for each vessel, viz., the *Collingdoc*, *Kenordoc*, and the *Portadoc*, fixed on a "bare boat" basis? If not, on what basis; (b) what was the insurable value placed on each ship in the event of loss; and (c) in the negotiations for the requisitioning of said ships, what was the agreed value of each ship?

211. Return showing:—

1. What is the total strength of the Royal Canadian Air Force?
2. How many Canadians are now serving in the Royal Air Force?
3. What are the casualties to date, giving names and addresses, (a) in the Royal Canadian Air Force; (b) among Canadians in the Royal Air Force?

211a. Return showing:—

1. What are the names of the nine permanent force officers of the Royal Canadian Air Force who have been either retired or whose retirements have been authorized since September 10, 1939?

2. What were the, (a) temporary; (b) acting; (c) substantive ranks of the said officers on September 10, 1939?

3. What were the, (a) temporary; (b) acting; (c) substantive ranks of the said officers on the date on which their retirements became or will become effective?

4. On what rank, (a) temporary; (b) acting, or (c) substantive, is the amount of the pension of each officer determined?

5. Were the pension regulations with respect to such retirements complied with as far as granting pension with relation to rank is concerned?

6. What would have been the retirement pension of each officer if he had been retired on September 10, 1939?

7. What is the actual retirement pension of each officer?

8. What is the age of each such officer?

9. How many officers now with the R.C.A.F. of the rank of air commodore and over have attained the age of 50 years?

10. How many of such officers are, (a) of the permanent force; (b) of the auxiliary force; (c) of the special reserve?

212. Order in Council P.C. 1775, approved March 13, 1944: revoking sections 7 and 8 of the Wartime Alcoholic Beverages Order, 1942 (P.C. 11374, of December 16, 1942), with reference to the quantity of beer which may be sold in Canada during wartime.

213. Return showing:—

1. What was the total cost to the dominion government, to December 31, 1943, for the construction of the airway system from Edmonton to White Horse, including both of these points, and including radio aids to navigation, installations for meteorological services, buildings, roads, airports, lighting and other services?

2. How many airports have been constructed on this route, and what are their names?

3. What was the total revenue received by the government from civil operators flying over this route for each of the years 1942 and 1943?

4. What was the cost of maintaining the meteorological, radio, airport and other services on this route for each of the years 1942 and 1943?

5. What operators or companies have been licensed to operate over this route?

214. Return showing:—

1. Is the hospital accommodation for Canada's military forces adequate in the various military districts of Canada for those in training, or is there a shortage of accommodation?

2. At what distance from the various camps established under the present system are there civilian hospitals, and have they all adequate equipment to take care of any cases that occur that cannot be dealt with at the various camps?

3. What hospital accommodation in the various military districts of Canada has been or is to be established by the government to take care of those now overseas, if sick or wounded when they return to Canada?

4. Has any hospital accommodation survey been made since the survey dated December 5, 1940? If so, what survey?

5. What has been done to go ahead with the new hospital at Sunnybrook (Toronto), since last November 11, and when will any units thereof be started or constructed?

214a. Return showing:—

1. What was the total number of patient-days in each of the hospitals under the direction of the Department of Pensions and National Health for the year 1939?

2. What was the total number of patient-days in each of the hospitals under the direction of the Department of Pensions and National Health for the year 1943?

3. What was the total number of medical personnel employed in each of the above hospitals for the year 1939, (a) full time; (b) part time?

4. What was the total number of medical personnel employed in each of the above hospitals for the year 1943, (a) full time; (b) part time?

214b. Return showing:—

1. Have tenders been called for the erection of any portion of the new soldiers' hospital buildings at Sunnybrook, Toronto; what progress has been made on calling for tenders; for what part of the new hospital, and at what time is it estimated that actual building operations will be commenced?

2. What has been done to build improved roadways to and on the property; to provide transportation facilities to hospital, and other municipal services such as sewers and water supply?

3. What additional hospital accommodation has been provided at Toronto for soldiers since the last session of parliament in 1943?

214c. Return showing:—

1. Will the government construct a new hospital as a Neurological Centre in the city of Montreal? If so, what will be its capacity and estimated cost?

2. Has the government retained the services of any firm of architects to prepare plans for a new neurological hospital in Montreal? If so, who has been so retained?

3. Have any arrangements been made regarding the person who will be in charge of such neurological hospital?

4. Has Dr. Wilder G. Penfield been appointed as head of this new neurological hospital?

5. If so, will he be consulted so that plans in regard to the operating rooms and other facilities may be provided to meet his special requirements?

6. If not, who will be responsible for this work?

215. Return showing:—

1. Was there a bonus paid by the government to the growers of flax during the 1942 season? If so, how much a bushel, and what was the total of the bonus paid?
2. How many bushels of flax were produced in Canada during the 1942 season?
3. How many bushels of flax were processed in Canada during the 1942 season?
4. How many bushels of flax were exported to the United States due to lack of machinery to process same in Canada?

216. Return showing:—

1. Has the government contributed towards the construction of a seiner dragger type of boat on the Pacific coast? If so, from what source did the request for the assistance towards the construction of this type of boat come?
2. What official or officials of the government visited the Pacific coast and arranged for assistance towards the construction of these boats?
3. What was the minimum length and tonnage of the boats to be?
4. On whose suggestion was the length or tonnage arrived at?
5. What was the reason for setting the minimum length and tonnage arrived at?
6. How many boats have been constructed on the Pacific coast under government assistance? What are their names, and by whom is each boat owned?
7. What number of boats, and who are the owners of same, that are not yet completed?
8. Have any of these boats been transferred from the original owners?
9. What was the cost of each boat when completed?
10. What amount has the government, by way of direct subsidy and depreciation, obligated themselves to contribute?
11. Is the original owner required to retain the ownership of this boat for a set period? If so, what is that period?
12. Has the government assisted in the construction of these boats by reason of having taken boats for defence purposes? If so, why did they not construct them themselves and turn back to the owners the boats they had taken for naval purposes?
13. Was there, at or before the war, submitted to the Department of Naval Services and the Department of Fisheries a plan for the construction of a halibut packer type of boat? If so, why was not this type of boat constructed instead or as well as the type that was agreed upon? Are such boats to be used by the government for defence purposes during the war, then sold to fishermen?
14. What is, or was, the length and tonnage of the dragger type of boat, to the building of which the government has contributed on the Atlantic coast? Why was this minimum set?
15. What assistance has been given towards the building and converting of vessels on the Atlantic?
16. What person or persons have availed themselves of this opportunity?
17. How many vessels or boats have been converted or built, and what are the names of the owners?

217. Summary of the National Health Survey conducted by the Canadian Medical Procurement and Assignment Board during the year 1943.

218. Return showing:—

1. For the year 1943, what was the total value of maple products in Canada, (a) in sugar; (b) in maple syrup?
2. What was the domestic consumption of these products in Canada?
3. What was, in pounds, the quantity of our exports in maple sugar during the same year?
4. What was, in gallons, for the same period, the quantity of our exports in maple syrup?
5. Are those products now rationed in Canada?
6. If so, why?
7. Has the price of these products been fixed?
8. If so, what is the ceiling for sugar and for syrup?
9. Has the government, in establishing a ceiling for the price of these products, taken into account the increase in the cost of labour and production?
10. Has consideration also been given, in fixing the price of maple products, to the very high price of firewood required for such production?

219. Return showing:—

1. Has an order been issued by the government or any member thereof, to the military forces, prohibiting members thereof writing letters to newspapers or giving any information or criticism of any conditions arising in the forces or camps within Canada?
2. If so, by whom, and to whom does it apply, and is it limited to within Canada?
3. On whose recommendation was it issued in the three forces?
4. Does it cover numerous speeches across Canada by headquarters and other officers?

220. Return showing:—

1. Following Order in Council P.C. 2278, dated March 22, 1943, how many cases have been referred to the Hooper-Homes Bureau, Toronto, to locate the whereabouts of individuals whom the divisional registrars have been unable to locate?
2. How many such individuals have been located by this organization?
3. What have been the amounts claimed by this bureau for this special work?

221. Return to an Order of the House of February 24, 1944, for a Return showing:—

1. Has the Department of Labour made inquiries to ascertain whether textile workers had received the salary rates fixed by the various Orders in Council or other orders relating to the minimum salary rates to be paid to wartime workers?
2. If so, what did the Department of Labour find as to the payment of salaries fixed by the said Orders in Council or other orders?
3. What companies have been required to pay back to the workers the salary to which they were entitled, and what was the total amount in each case that the companies had to pay in this manner to the workers?

222. 1. Has any Dominion conference been called within the past two years by any branch of the government inviting provincial educational authorities with a view of studying ways and means so as to validate teachers' certificates so that a teaching certificate secured in any province may be valid for use in any other province?

2. If such conference was held, on what date, where, what were the names of representatives of provinces attending, the subjects discussed and considered, and decisions reached?

3. Was the question of free-exchange of teachers between provinces considered? If so, with what results?

223. Return showing:—

1. What was the total tonnage of domestic fuel imported from, (a) United States; (b) Great Britain, to Quebec and Ontario during 1942 and 1943?

2. What was the total amount paid in federal subsidies to the importers of domestic fuel from, (a) United States; (b) Great Britain, to Quebec and Ontario during each of the years 1942 and 1943?

224. Return to an Order of the House of February 16, 1944, for a copy of all correspondence, reports, recommendations, applications and other documents in the possession of the Post Office Department in connection with the appointment of a postmaster at Dafoe, Saskatchewan, during the past six months.

225. Return showing:—

1. How many boards and commissions have been appointed by each department of the government since Canada entered the war?

2. How many employees are on the payroll of each board and commission?

3. What is the total payroll of each board and commission?

225a. Return showing:—

1. How many control organizations has the government of Canada instituted since the beginning of the war?

2. What are the names of the chief officials of such organizations?

3. What are their salaries?

225b. Return showing:—

1. How many boards or commissions were appointed since September 3, 1939?

2. How many orders were made by each of such boards or commissions?

3. How many of said orders were made for each of the federal departments?

4. How many actions were instituted under said orders?

226. Return showing how much was paid the Dominion Coal Company and the Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Company in the years 1937 and 1938 by way of subsidy subvention or other assistance.

227. Return to an Order of the House of March 13, 1944, for a copy of all letters, telegrams, memoranda, and other documents, in connection with the resignation of Victor T. Goggin, General Manager of Wartime Housing.

228. Copies of Agreement between Canada and the United Kingdom on the principles applying to the provision by Canada of Canadian War Supplies to the United Kingdom under the War Appropriation (United Nations Mutual Aid) Act of Canada 1943, signed at Ottawa, February 11, 1944. Treaty Series, 1944/3.—English and French Editions.

228a. Copies of Agreement between Canada and the Soviet Union on the principles applying to the provision by Canada of Canadian War Supplies to the Soviet Union under the War Appropriation (United Nations Mutual Aid) Act of Canada 1943, signed at Ottawa, February 11, 1944. Treaty Series, 1944/4.—English and French Editions.

228b. Copies of Agreement between Canada and the Commonwealth of Australia on the principles applying to the provision by Canada of Canadian War Supplies to the Commonwealth of Australia under the War Appropriation (United Nations Mutual Aid) Act of Canada, 1943, signed at Ottawa, March 9, 1944. Treaty Series, 1944/5.—English and French Editions.

228c. Copies of Agreement between Canada and China on the principles applying to the provision by Canada of Canadian War Supplies to China under the War Appropriation (United Nations Mutual Aid) Act of Canada, 1943, signed at Ottawa, March 22, 1944. Treaty Series 1944/9.—English and French Editions.

228d. Copies of Agreement between Canada and The French Committee of National Liberation on the principles applying to the provision by Canada of Canadian War Supplies to The French Committee of National Liberation under the War Appropriation (United Nations Mutual Aid) Act of Canada, 1943, signed at Ottawa, April 14, 1944. Treaty Series 1944/12. (English and French editions.)

228e. Return showing:—

1. Is the government obliged to purchase from England the bombers of Canadian squadrons overseas?
2. Are the aeroplane engines built in Canada and not manufactured in Canada supplied to Canada on a gratuitous basis?
3. Are the British destroyers that have been added to the Canadian fleet coming under the British mutual assistance, or must Canada pay for them?
4. Is the Canadian army overseas supplied the necessary food free, or obliged to purchase same?

229. Report of Judge Rolland Millar, appointed a Commissioner, under Part I of the Inquiry Act, to inquire into and report upon certain complaints made by Maurice Lalonde, Esq., M.P., concerning the administration of Mr. Alphonse Forget, local representative of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board at Mont-Laurier, Quebec, and ex officio representative of the Rubber Controller, dated at Ottawa, March 7, 1944. English and French editions.

230. Return showing:—

1. What amount of money has been paid by way of subsidy or assistance for the production of wood for fuel?
2. By provinces, how has this money been distributed?
3. How many cords of wood for fuel have been produced or obtained under assistance during the calendar year 1943?
4. What has been the total expenditures for the production of firewood by persons of Japanese origin in the province of British Columbia, (a) in wages; (b) by way of other assistance?
5. How many cords of such firewood have been produced from August 1 to December 1, 1943?
6. To what points has the firewood produced in British Columbia been shipped, and in what quantities?
7. Per cord of wood, how much has the production cost, up to December 31, 1943?
8. How many cords of firewood have been shipped to Vancouver under the Japanese wood-cutting operations?
9. What has been the cost of all firewood shipped to Vancouver?
10. Under whose jurisdiction or ownership is such firewood?

11. If not owned by the government, has the government received payments for any of the firewood shipped to Vancouver, and what amounts have been received?

12. Has any agreement been entered into with the Vancouver city council regarding sale or disposal of firewood shipped to that city?

13. If so, what are its terms?

231. Return showing:—

1. Has the government leased the property known as St. Mary's of the Lake, 355 King St. West, Kingston, Ontario?

2. If so, when was it leased?

3. From whom is the property leased?

4. What rent is being paid for this property?

5. What is the total of expenditure made by the government since it was leased?

232. Return showing:—

1. Is there a contract between the government and the Clarke Steamship Limited for carrying mail to the north shore of the St. Lawrence river?

2. If so, what are the terms of such contract?

232a. Return showing:—

1. What is the name of the company carrying mail, by aeroplane, on the north shore of the St. Lawrence river?

2. What places are directly served by such company?

3. What amount is received from the Post Office Department by that company for such service?

4. Has the company the right to carry passengers while carrying mail?

5. What is the schedule of such service?

6. What post offices are being served by dropping mail from the air?

7. (a) What are the landing places of the plane carrying mail; (b) what post offices are served directly from these places?

233. Return showing:—

1. What was the number of retirement annuity plans for employees in force under the Annuities Branch of the Department of Labour in 1923, 1928, 1933, 1938, 1939, 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943, in each of the following classifications, (a) governmental bodies such as federal, provincial or municipal; (b) private companies and other non-governmental employers?

2. What was the total valuation of retirement annuity plans for employees in force under the Annuities Branch of the Department of Labour for each of the above years in each of the above classifications?

234. Return showing how many trainees have been received at each of the following centres since the outbreak of war,—No. 2 Manning Depot, Brandon, No. 12 S.F.T.S., Brandon, No. 4 artillery training centre, Brandon.

235. Return showing:—

1. On how many tons of imported potatoes was a subsidy paid between December 1, 1941, and December 31, 1943, by the Commodity Prices Stabilization Corporation?

2. When will an announcement be made as to the 1944 subsidies on corn, beans and peas?

235a. Return showing:—

1. What sums were paid as subsidy for the production or marketing of new potatoes in the fiscal year 1943-1944 in, (a) Canada; (b) Nova Scotia; (c) New Brunswick; (d) Prince Edward Island?

2. What sums were paid in the last fiscal year by the government for freight on potatoes within or into each province?

3. What was the basis upon which payment was made of, (a) subsidies; (b) freight; (c) purchases?

4. What quantity of potatoes was imported into Canada from the United States of America in the last fiscal year, stating what permit or authority?

5. What subsidies, freight allowances or reduction of import charges and exchange were allowed?

6. Were Canadian producers restricted in making exports to United States of America?

235b. Return showing:—

1. Are potatoes being imported into Canada at the present time?

2. What is the present duty on imported potatoes?

3. What is the present stock of Canadian potatoes still available?

4. What is the retail price of, (a) new imported potatoes; (b) old crop Canadian potatoes?

235c. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General, of June 19, 1944, for a copy of the Order in Council providing for payment of a subsidy on Canadian grown potatoes, together with a copy of authorized press, radio and food bulletin notices advertising this subsidy; a copy of all forms on which application for subsidy were to be made to the Commodity Prices Stabilization Corporation; of all correspondence between the corporation and those who were paid subsidies, together with a copy of any report made to the corporation by officials of the corporation or government charged with the responsibility of investigating the conditions on which subsidies were received.

236. Return showing:—

1. Is Dr. W. A. Smith an employee of the government?

2. If so, where is he employed?

3. What is his salary?

4. What were his travelling expenses in 1943?

5. What were his qualifications for his present position?

237. Return showing:—

1. How many fatal accidents have occurred on highways in Canada each year since the beginning of the war to the end of 1943?

2. How many have been injured on highways during the same periods?

3. How many deaths and injuries occurred at level crossings for the same periods?

4. How many have been killed and wounded in this war, to the end of 1943, and what have been the total war casualties during the above mentioned periods?

238. Return showing:—

1. Is there a customs duty on cigarettes sent from Canada to the R.C.A.F. stationed at Malta?

2. If so, what is the duty on 300 Sweet Caporal cigarettes?

3. Is there a duty on other articles sent to our fighting forces who are on active service and stationed in Europe?

239. Return to an Order of the House of February 14, 1944, for a copy of all correspondence and reports between any officer of the tug *Bally* and naval authorities at Halifax, and between naval authorities at Halifax and any department of the government regarding the damaging of the tug *Bally* by the *Sankaty*, referred to in Sessional Paper 253, 1942.

For a copy of all correspondence and reports between inspectors or any other government officials, and any department of the government regarding any inspection of the *Bally* following its damage by the *Sankaty*.

A copy of reports and correspondence by inspectors to the government or any official of the government concerning the inspection of the *Bally* in June, 1941, mentioned in Sessional Paper 253, 1942.

A copy of all correspondence between any department or official of the government and the owner of the tug *Bally* informing him of the damage caused to the *Bally* by the *Sankaty*.

240. Return to an Order of the House of March 13, 1944, for a copy of all letters, telegrams, communications, exchanged between the Department of National Defence and any person or persons, relating to the renting or leasing of property in Sherbrooke, Nova Scotia, for National Defence purposes.

241. Return showing:—

1. Having reference to Sessional Paper No. 175, is John Grierson still on loan from the National Film Board to the Wartime Information Board?

2. What salary is now being paid to John Grierson, on what authority, and for what service?

3. Is John Grierson engaged in any employment or engagements other than the government service?

4. What amount has been paid to John Grierson in travelling or other expenses during the past twelve months?

242. Return showing:—

1. How many applications have been made to National Selective Service by lino. operators for positions from July 1, 1943, to February 1, 1944, by provinces?

2. How many applications have been made to National Selective Service by publishers for lino. operators from July 1, 1943, to February 1, 1944, by provinces?

3. How many lino. operators have been placed by National Selective Service in the province of Manitoba from July 1, 1943, to February 1, 1944?

4. Who have they been placed with?

243. Copy of all letters and telegrams exchanged between the Department of Mines and Resources and any person or persons from February 1, 1936, to this date, pertaining to the lease and sale of Jacques-Cartier Reserve, Pont-Rouge, county of Portneuf.

244. Copy of all correspondence, letters, telegrams, reports and other documents in the possession of the Department of Pensions and National Health, exchanged during the past twelve months between the city of Halifax, Nova Scotia, and the said department or any other department of the government, respecting the acquiring of land, either by transfer or purchase, to be used in connection with a proposed addition to Camp Hill Hospital

245. Return showing:—

1. How many employees, (a) male, (b) female, in the plant known as the Bouchard plant, at Sainte-Thérèse, Quebec, have been laid off within the last two months and how many have quit work voluntarily?

2. Were those who left work voluntarily, threatened with a salary reduction, directly or indirectly?

3. Within the last two months, how many persons formerly employed at the Nobel plant, Ontario, have been transferred to the Bouchard plant, at Sainte-Thérèse, Quebec, by the Selective Service, and who paid their travelling expenses?

4. Within the past two months, how many persons employed in other plants of Ontario and other provinces have been transferred to the Bouchard plant, at Sainte-Thérèse, Quebec, by the Selective Service, and who paid their travelling expenses?

245a. Return showing:—

1. How many employees of the Defence Industries Limited plant at Nobel have been transferred to Bouchard, since the 1st of November, 1943?

2. What are the names and addresses of employees so transferred?

3. What was the occupation, at Nobel, of each of the persons so transferred, and what was his salary?

4. What is the occupation, at Bouchard, of each of the persons so transferred, and what is his salary?

5. Have the persons so transferred taken positions already occupied? If so, what are the names and addresses of the persons who have been replaced?

245b. Return showing:—

1. Within the last six months, how many employees working at the Nitro war plant, near Valleyfield, operated by Defence Industries Ltd., have been laid off?

2. Within the last six months, how many new employees have been hired in the service of the same company at the same place?

3. Within the last six months, how many persons formerly employed at the Nobel plant, Ontario, have been transferred to the Nitro plant, near Valleyfield, by the Selective Service, and who paid their travelling expenses?

4. Within the last six months, how many persons employed in other plants in Ontario and other provinces have been transferred to the Nitro plant, near Valleyfield, by the Selective Service, and who paid their travelling expenses?

245c. Return showing:—

1. Who ordered the transfer to the Defence Industries plant at Bouchard, Ste. Thérèse, of some fifty employees from Defence Industries at Nobel?

2. Were such transfers approved by the Selective Service or made by the company itself?

3. Has the Selective Service office at Ste. Thérèse, been notified of such transfers?

4. How long did each of such employees work for Defence Industries at Nobel?

5. How many among them have previously worked for Canadian Industries Limited?

6. Will the government take the necessary steps to reinstate in their former occupation some fifty persons laid off or placed with less pay in secondary positions?

245d. Return showing:—

1. Has the Defence Industries Plant at Nobel been closed down?
2. If so, how many men are still employed at the plant?
3. What was the total capital investment of the government in constructing and equipping this plant?
4. Has any study been given to the use of this plant for the production of peace-time goods?
5. If so, by what committee, board or body?
6. Have any plans for its further use been agreed upon?
7. What possibilities of use are under consideration at present?
8. What horse-power of electricity is available at the plant?
9. From what source was it supplied?
10. What was the cost to the government of bringing electricity to this plant?
11. What is the capacity of the water-pumping plant on this property?
12. What was the cost of installing this water system?
13. How many war-time houses were constructed on the property?
14. What was their cost?
15. What was the cost of erecting a school on the property?
16. Is that school now in use?
17. How many staff houses were provided?
18. What was the cost of these?
19. Are these now occupied, and by whom?
20. Is there a hospital on the property?
21. What was the cost of constructing and equipping this hospital?
22. What use is being made of it at present?
23. Are any plans made for its future use?
24. How was the plant heated?
25. What was the cost of installing the heating system?
26. Has the government a title to the land on which the plant was built?
27. If not, who are the owners, and on what terms has the government held the land?
28. Has any of the equipment been removed from the plant?
29. If so, by whom, and for what purpose?
30. Is the plant to be dismantled or to remain intact?

246. Return to an Order of the House of March 20, 1944, for a copy of all letters, telegrams and other documents in possession of the government in connection with the resignation and reappointment of J. L. Dougans in 1940, employed by the Saskatchewan branch of the Canadian Farm Loan Board.

247. Return to an Order of the House of March 13, 1944, for a copy of all letters, communications, reports or other documents pertaining to the sinking of the boat *B.C. Star* off the coast of British Columbia while being operated in the service of the Department of National Defence for Air.

248. Return showing:—What is the total enlistment for overseas service to date in, (a) the navy; (b) the army; (c) the air force?

249. Return showing:—

1. How many cases of canned fish were supplied to the Canadian armed forces in the year 1943?
2. How many cases of each variety, and at what price per case?
3. What was the total cost of same?

250. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of March 20, 1944, for a copy of all contracts and/or letters or other documents in lieu of contracts, written or entered into at any time since January 1, 1942, relating to the operation of the respective units of the Polymer plant at Sarnia, between Polymer Corporation Limited and Imperial Oil Limited, St. Clair Processing Corporation Limited, Dow Chemical Company of Canada Limited, and Canadian Synthetic Rubber Limited, as referred to in clause 3 (b) of Order in Council P.C. 2799, of April 8, 1943.

250a. Return showing:—

1. Who are the directors of Canadian Synthetic Rubber Limited, and what remuneration do they receive?

2. In the case of each of those named in answer to question (1), with what other firms or corporations are they now employed, and of what other firms or corporations are they directors or officers?

3. Who are the owners of Canadian Synthetic Rubber Limited?

251. Return showing:—

1. What is the total Indian population in Canada according to the 1941 census?

2. How many Indians are paid treaty money?

3. What is the annual payment to each Indian receiving treaty money?

4. How many medical doctors have been assigned to serve Indian communities exclusively?

5. What were the total expenditures made for Indian education by the federal government for the last fiscal year?

6. What was the death rate from tuberculosis per hundred thousand among the Indians for the last year for which statistics are available?

7. What was the death rate from tuberculosis per hundred thousand in Canada, excluding the Indian population, for the same year.

252. Return showing:—

1. According to the most recent official information, how many persons residing within the limits of the City of Montreal have been registered as unemployed, (a) men; (b) women?

2. Are there, within the limits of the city of Montreal, any industries which have hired persons previously employed at the Nobel plant in Ontario?

3. If so, how many persons have been so transferred?

4. Have such transfers been made through the Selective Service? If not, how have they been made?

5. Are the persons so transferred sure of finding living accommodation in Montreal?

253. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of March 20, 1944, for a copy of all Orders in Council passed since the 15th of July, 1943, which amend, suspend or otherwise alter the operation of any statute or statutes passed by the parliament of Canada, and a list of all statutes so affected.

254. Return showing:—

1. Since September, 1939, and up until March, 1944, how many people of United States citizenship have been employed by the Civil Service of Canada or put on the federal government payroll in any capacity, at salaries of \$1,200 and higher per annum?

2. What are their names, salary, and what position is held by each of them?

255. Return showing:—

1. From whom did the government acquire the property on which the Prince Edward Island, Mount Pleasant airfield is built?
2. What was the purchase price of the property?
3. Did the government at the time it purchased this property own or hold a lease on other property in the vicinity of Mount Pleasant?
4. If so, what disposition has been made of said property?
5. What is the total construction cost of Mount Pleasant airfield?
6. What quantity of gravel has been used in preparing the site, and at what cost?

256. Return showing:—

1. Have tenders been called for the construction of a ferry boat to serve Prince Edward Island?
2. If so, who were asked to tender, stating tender prices of each?
3. If contract has been let, what is the date, name of firm, contract price and time of delivery?
4. What is the tonnage, dimensions and speed?
5. What type of power plant is called for, stating horsepower and names of builders?
6. Is the boat to be completed by one contractor? If not, state names of any other tenderers of component with cost and description of such equipment?
7. What will be the total estimated cost of the boat fully equipped and delivered?
8. Who are the architects and designers, and what fees will they receive?

256a. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of March 20, 1944, for a copy of all correspondence since the entrance of Prince Edward Island into Confederation exchanged between the government of Prince Edward Island and the federal government, in connection with the proposed building of a tunnel or causeway from Cape Tormentine, New Brunswick, to Prince Edward Island.

Also, for a copy of all plans, surveys and estimates of cost with date of each survey and estimate and by whom made.

256b. Order of the House for a copy of the contract entered into by the government for the construction of a ferry steamer to operate between Cape Tormentine and Prince Edward Island; also a copy of contract or sub-contract for diesel oil engine and equipment to operate same.

257. Partial Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of March 27, 1944, for a copy of all letters, telegrams or communications between the government of Canada, its ministers or officials and the governments of each of the nine provinces of Canada, their ministers or officials, during the period from September, 1942, and March 16, 1944, having reference to, (a) dominion-provincial conference, and (b) the limiting of release for sale of beer and other alcoholic beverages, as set forth in the Order in Council of December 16, 1942, and known as the Wartime Alcoholic Beverages Order.

257a. Final Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of March 27, 1944, for a copy of all letters, telegrams or communications between the government of Canada, its ministers or officials and the governments of each of the nine provinces of Canada, their ministers or officials, during the period from September, 1942, and March 16, 1944, having reference to, (a) dominion-provincial conference, and (b) the limiting of release for sale of beer and other alcoholic beverages, as set forth in the Order in Council of December 16, 1942, and known as the Wartime Alcoholic Beverages Order.

258. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of March 20, 1944, for a copy of all letters, telegrams, correspondence, reports and other documents in the possession of the Department of Transport, exchanged between the said department and the city of Nelson, British Columbia, or any official thereof, including any correspondence and reports of Mr. W. S. Lawson regarding an emergency airport on the waterfront of the city of Nelson.

259. Return showing:—

1. How much income has been received from the war exchange tax in each year since it was imposed?
2. What imports, if any, are exempt from said tax?
3. Is a licence or permission necessary to import goods into Canada or to pay for same?
4. Is the war exchange tax still necessary to conserve our foreign exchange position?
5. Will consideration be given to the removal of this tax?

260. Return showing:—

1. Have any representations been made to the federal government regarding the establishment of a Forest Products Research Institute at the University of British Columbia? If so, what steps are being taken in this connection?
2. What percentage of the production of lumber in Canada has been produced in British Columbia for, (a) domestic use; (b) export?

260a. Return showing:—

1. What were the ceiling prices on lumber during, (a) 1942; (b) 1943?
2. Did increases occur during 1943. If so, on what date or dates did such increases become effective, and what was the increase in each case?
3. Were any subsidies paid or depletion allowances granted on lumber or saw-logs between October 1, 1942, and December 31, 1943, and if so, on what authority, and on what basis?
4. What companies or persons received such payments of subsidies or depletion allowances on timber products or lumber during the period October 1, 1942, and December 31, 1943, and what was the amount paid or allowed in each case?

260b. Return showing:—

1. Does the federal government do any research work on forestry projects other than those in the forest products laboratories in Ottawa, Montreal and Vancouver?
2. If so, what type of research work is being done, and by what agencies?
3. What were the federal government expenditures on forestry research projects in 1938, 1939, 1940 and 1941, (a) by the Department of Mines and Resources; (b) by the National Research Council?
4. What were the total expenditures of the National Research Council on all projects during the years 1938, 1939, 1940 and 1941?
5. What is the area of forest land in Canada?
6. How much of this land is considered as having commercial value at present?

7. How, and from whom were these data obtained? Are they based on actual ground or air surveys?

8. Were representations made to the Minister of Mines and Resources in May, 1943, in respect to federal assistance to the provinces for forestry work?

9. If so, was a brief submitted by these representatives?

10. What action, if any, has been taken in respect to these representations?

11. Did representatives of any forestry industry group meet with and make recommendations on forestry matters to the Minister of Mines and Resources at any time during the years of 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938 or 1939?

12. If so, what was the date of such meeting, and what actions, if any, were taken by the government in respect to these representations?

13. Is sales tax collected on all lumber sold in Canada?

14. Is sales tax collected on the production of lumber produced by small portable mills and sold in Canada?

15. How many such portable mills, if any, are exempted from the payment of sales tax on the lumber they produce and sell in Canada?

16. How many of these mills are located in each of the provinces of Quebec, New Brunswick, Ontario, Manitoba and British Columbia?

17. What was the total of the taxes, other than sales tax, collected by the federal government from pulp and paper companies in Canada during the years 1940, 1941 and 1942?

18. What was the total of the taxes, other than sales tax, collected by the federal government from lumber companies in Canada during the years 1940, 1941 and 1942?

19. What was the total of the taxes, other than sales tax, collected by the federal government from pulp and paper companies and from lumber companies in Canada during the year 1943 (estimates only)?

260c. Return showing:—

1. What were the quantities of veneer logs exported (a) to the United Kingdom and, (b) to other countries, during each one of the last four years?

2. What quantities of birch or maple veneer logs of both export and second quality were sold to The Guelph Cask Veneer & Plywood Co., Ltd., Scotstown, Que.; Canada Veneers Ltd., Saint Johns, N.B.; Dominion Shuttle Co., Lachute, Que., Commonwealth Plywood Ltd., Ste. Thérèse, Que.; The Singer Mfg. Co., Thurso, Que., for each year from 1940 to 1944?

261. Return showing:—

1. What was the total amount spent by the government on the Marble Island project, Queen Charlotte Islands?

2. Was this work done by tender? If not, why not?

262. Return showing:—

1. Has Switlik Canadian Parachutes Ltd., whose offices are located at No. 3575 St. Lawrence street, Montreal, obtained any contracts from the dominion government?

2. If so, for what amount, in what year, and at what date?

3. What kind of work has been done by this company for the government?

4. What is the name of the president of this company, and what is his profession or occupation?

5. What are the names of the vice-president and each of the directors of the said company, and what are their respective professions or occupations?

262a. Return showing:—

1. Has Switlik Canadian Parachutes Limited, 3575 St. Lawrence street, Montreal, obtained any contracts from the dominion government, testing silk for the manufacture of parachutes?

2. If so, for what amount, in what year, and at what date?

3. Is one Roméo Valois a director of Switlik Canadian Parachutes Limited, or interested therein?

4. Have sub-contracts been granted by Switlik Canadian Parachutes Limited to any individuals or companies?

5. If so, to what individuals or companies, and for what amounts in 1939, 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943 and 1944?

263. Return showing:—

1. Has J. François Leduc, consulting engineer and associates, whose offices are located at 354 Ste. Catherine Street, East, Montreal, obtained any contracts from the dominion government during the years 1939, 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943 and 1944?

2. If so, for what total amount?

3. What amount has been paid to them up to the present time by the government, and how much money was paid them during each of the above-mentioned years?

263a. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of April 24, 1944, for a copy of all letters, telegrams, correspondence and other documents exchanged since January 1, 1940, between the dominion government or any department thereof, and J. François Leduc, and associates, consulting engineers, 354 Ste. Catherine Street, East, Montreal, regarding the awarding of contracts by the government, for the inspection of materials at the various airports under construction by the Department of Transport.

263b. Supplementary Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of April 24, 1944, for a copy of all letters, telegrams, correspondence and other documents exchanged since January 1, 1940, between the dominion government or any department thereof, and J. François Leduc, and associates, consulting engineers, 354 Ste. Catherine Street, East, Montreal, regarding the awarding of contracts by the government, for the inspection of materials at the various airports under construction by the Department of Transport.

264. Return showing:—

1. What expenditures have been made by the government and Department of National Defence since the commencement of the war on properties of the Maritime Winter Fair Commission and the Maritime Stock Breeders Association at Amherst, Nova Scotia, stating names of contractors and sums paid each for, (a) improvements and additions to buildings; (b) heating and plumbing; (c) fittings and furnishings; (d) total expenditures?

2. To whom have rentals been paid, stating amounts?

265. Return showing:—

1. What was the total capital expenditure since January 1, 1939, on Niagara-on-the-Lake military camp, (a) on construction; (b) on equipment?

2. How many men in training were passed through the camp records during the years 1939, 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943, and what was the largest number of men in training at any one time during each year?

3. How many men in training are at present resident in the camp?
4. How many officers and men of the ranks are on the camp staff as instructors, camp management, kitchen staff and duties other than in training?

266. 1. What payments have been made or authorized for legal services by the Department of Justice since the outbreak of the war to the following solicitors or their firms, stating the subject-matter of the employment: Mr. R. M. Fielding, K.C., M.L.A., barrister, Halifax, Nova Scotia; Mr. J. E. Rutledge, K.C., M.L.A., barrister, Halifax, Nova Scotia; Mr. J. W. Godfrey, K.C., barrister, Halifax, Nova Scotia?

2. What additional accounts have been rendered by each and not yet paid?
3. What additional instructions have been given involving legal services to each?

266a. Return showing what legal counsel or solicitors in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta have received payment for legal services rendered to the federal government, and what sum has been paid to each during the year 1943.

266b. Return showing:—What legal counsel or solicitors in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta have received payment for legal services rendered to the federal government, and what sum has been paid to each during the year 1943?

266c. Return showing:—

1. What are the names of the lawyers and the legal firms in the cities of Quebec, Lévis and Montmagny, (a) receiving fees from the dominion government or any of its commissions from the 1st January, 1937, to date; (b) to whom any fees are still due and payable?

2. What amount have been paid to each of them, in what year, and for what services?

3. What amounts are still due to each, and for what services?

4. What are the names of the lawyers and the legal firms at present employed by the dominion government or any of its commissions in the cities mentioned?

267. Return showing:—

1. From whom was coal purchased for Dundurn Military Camp in the province of Saskatchewan during the year 1943, and to date?

2. What were the grades supplied, and the price per ton?

3. In what mine or mines is such coal mined and what are the names of the several companies owning the said mine or mines?

4. What is the price per ton at the minehead of the several grades supplied?

267a. Return showing:—

1. What officers who were stationed at Dundurn military camp on January 1, 1944, are being retired from the armed services?

2. Why are they being so retired?

3. What are the ages of such officers, and how long has each been a member of the armed services in this war?

4. Which of said officers were engaged in the armed services of Canada or her allies in the war of 1914-18?

5. Have such officers been replaced, and what are the names, ranks and ages of such replacement officers?

6. Which of such replacement officers have served overseas in this war?

7. Which of such replacement officers were overseas in the war of 1914-18?

268. Return showing:—

1. What has been done to install the Borstal system in Canada's prisons since the report of the prison commission was received?
2. How many of the ages of 15, 16, 17, 18 and 19 are now confined in each federal prison, and where?
3. What recommendations of the said Royal Commission's report aforesaid have already been adopted?

269. Return showing:—

1. What amounts, if any, were expended by the government in assisting the development of scheelite in the Yukon in 1943?
2. To whom were such amounts paid; (a) what amount to each; (b) what for?
3. Was part of such sums expended in wages?
4. If so, (a) to whom were the same paid; (b) at what rates of pay; (c) how much to each?
5. What amount of scheelite was recovered and received from Yukon by the government in 1943, in weight and value?
6. What sums, if any, were paid, and to whom, for scheelite produced in Yukon in 1943?
7. Are any sums owing to the government for advances made in 1943 to the producers of scheelite in Yukon? If so, by whom, and what amount is owing by each such person.

270. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of February 28, 1944, for a copy of all memoranda, communications, agreements, Orders in Council and other documents from September 7, 1939, to the present, relating to the retirement or dismissal of Mr. Adama D'Agostino from his position as an employee of the Post Office Department at Niagara Falls, Ontario.

271. Return showing:—

1. What has been the total loss from fire in the various camps in Canada since the war started, by years, and at what camps of the three military forces, by provinces?
2. What insurance was carried on each camp loss by fire, and the net loss to the government?
3. What has been done to increase fire precautions and increased fire protection at these camps?
4. Were fire inquests held into the cause of each fire, and with what results?

271a. Return showing:—

1. Were certain buildings at Aldershot Camp, Kentville, Nova Scotia, destroyed by fire on or about the 25th day of December, 1940?
2. If so, how many buildings were destroyed, and what was the value?
3. What other property was destroyed, and what was the estimated value?
4. Have any claims for damages been submitted on behalf of officers or other occupants of buildings, stating the total value of such claims and the amounts allowed for reimbursement?

5. Were any tools and personal effects destroyed in such fire which were owned or being used by civilian carpenters or workmen employed by the Department of National Defence or by contractors on construction work, and what was the estimated value?

6. What moneys were appropriated for payment of such losses, and to whom were such moneys advanced or paid?

7. What are the number and amount of additional claims?

8. How did the fire originate?

272. Return showing:—How many men from each province were previously engaged in any one of the following industries before joining the army as G.S. soldiers or N.R.M.A. soldiers, (a) farming; (b) fishing; (c) lumbering; (d) mining; (e) shipbuilding; (f) aircraft production; (g) ammunition and gun production; (h) arsenals and small arms ammunition production; (i) automotive and tank production; (j) chemicals and explosives production; (k) gauge and cutting tool production; (l) petroleum refineries; (m) railways and telegraph lines; (n) construction and repair of locomotives and railway cars and maintenance of the right of way of the railways; (o) other transportation systems (air, tramways and trucks); (p) power companies (excluding tramway conductors); (q) dominion public service; (r) merchant marine; (s) the pulp and paper industry; (t) the textile industry (including the manufacture of military equipment); (u) the steel industry; (v) the rubber industry; (w) the leather industry; (x) the operation and repair of telephone lines; (y) the manufacture of alcohol for war purposes; (z) newspapers and periodicals.

273. Return showing:—

1. Does the government or the National Harbours Board own cold storage plants in Canada? If so, where are they situated?

2. What is the value of each?

3. What salary rates are paid to the employees of such cold storage plants?

274. Statement with respect to the Physical Standards and Instructions for the medical examination of serving soldiers and recruits for the Canadian Army as provided for under the Pulhems Tests.

And also,—Copy of Canadian Army Routine Orders with reference to the above.

275. Return to an Order of the House of March 30, 1944, for:—

1. At Military funerals, are the coffins of members of the Canadian armed forces overseas covered with a flag?

2. If so, what flag?

277. Return showing:—

1. Did the Printing Bureau prepare any pamphlets containing more than one speech of members of parliament during the year 1943?

2. If so, (a) how many different pamphlets were prepared, what were the titles of same, and whose speeches did they contain; (b) how many of each issue were prepared, and what was the price received for each issue; (c) what was the cost to the bureau of each issue, and did such cost include allowance for overhead, depreciation and a reasonable profit; (d) during the time such pamphlets were in preparation, did the bureau place orders for government printing with private firms, which could have been handled by their plant had the pamphlets not been on order?

3. What is the estimated average percentage added to costs by private printing firms for overhead, depreciation and profit?

278. Return showing:—

1. Has the export of live cattle from Canada to the United States been forbidden during the months of December, 1943, and January and February, 1944, and to date? If so, on what authority, and by whose orders?

2. Has there been any form of embargo by the United States authorities against the importation into the United States of live cattle from Canada during the past, (a) three months, or (b) the past six months prior to March 6, 1944?

3. How many head of cattle were left over, unpurchased at the close of trading on the Toronto livestock market on Monday, March 6, 1944?

4. Has there been any shortage of beef for, (a) military purposes, or (b) ordinary civilian use during the past two months prior to March 6, 1944?

279. Return showing:—

1. What is the number, and what cost of government-owned facilities that come within the following industrial classifications (by classification only—not by individual facilities), (a) aircraft, aircraft parts and other motorized vehicles; (d) guns; (e) ammunition, shells, bombs, etc.; (f) explosives and ammunition loading and assembling; (g) iron and steel products; (h) non-ferrous metals and products; (i) machine tools and metal-working equipment; (j) machinery and electrical equipment; (k) chemicals; (l) synthetic rubber; (m) gas and oil products; (n) other miscellaneous manufacturing; (o) non-manufacturing, mining, pipe-lines, etc.?

2. (a) What is the amount of government money advanced since the beginning of the war to privately-owned firms engaged in production in each of the above-listed industrial classifications; (b) what is the number of such firms in each classification to which government money has been provided; (c) on what terms or conditions has such government money been provided in each classification?

3. (a) In what government departments, commissions or other government agencies is the ownership of these government-owned facilities vested; (b) what is the number of projects owned by each department, commission or other government agency; (c) what is the cost of the projects owned by each of these government departments, commissions or agencies; (d) which of these facilities in each classification are operated by the government, and which are operated for the government by private companies?

280. Return showing:—

1. Is Professor Watson Kirkconnel of McMaster University, a member of the Nationalities Branch, National War Services?

2. If so, since when?

3. How much salary and how much expense money has he received as a member of this branch?

4. Has he ever been in the employ of any other government department?

5. If so, in what capacity?

281. What has been done to provide hospital ambulances by air in Canada to transport those injured in training of the forces to proper hospitals where necessary, since the matter was raised in the House in 1942 and 1943 on the War Appropriation Bill?

282. 1. What government department was responsible for the building of the communication lines of the Pacific Communications Program, including the telegraph (repeater) stations and the dwellings or living quarters provided for personnel operating the same?

2. Who pays the wages of those operating the Pacific Communications Program repeater stations?

3. Who supplies fuel, light and water for these stations?

4. What rent, if any, is paid for living quarters at these stations, (a) to whom; (b) by whom?

5. What amount per month do employees of Canadian National Telegraphs pay for living quarters provided by the system, and are such employees required to pay any additional amount for fuel?

283. Return showing:—

1. On what date did the Toronto DeHavilland plant begin to tool up for the production of Mosquito planes?

2. On what date did actual production of planes begin?

3. On what date did the government take over the plant?

4. How many Mosquito planes had been completed and how many accepted by the R.C.A.F. by the date on which the government took over the plant?

5. How many have been completed since the government took over the plant?

6. How many of these have been accepted by the R.C.A.F.?

7. How many planes are off the production line and resting in the grounds at the present time?

8. Why have these not been delivered to the R.C.A.F.?

9. What is the longest period of time the first of these to be off the production line has been lying in the field?

10. Has any work formerly done in the plant's machine shop been contracted out since the government took over?

11. If so, for what reason has this been contracted out?

12. What safeguards are taken to protect the government against excess charges on sub-contracts?

13. Are sub-contracts always given directly to the manufacturer, or are they sometimes given to firms who in turn sub-let them again to others?

14. Has the government discovered any instances of overcharging on sub-contracts let out by DeHavilland?

15. If so, what was the nature of the sub-contract, the firm concerned, and the amount overcharged?

16. What price was paid by the government to the DeHavilland Company for, (a) land, buildings and improvements; (b) machinery tools and equipment; (c) planes and parts completed and in process of being built; (d) contracts not completed?

17. What were the terms and conditions on which the plant was taken over by the government?

18. What funds had the government made available to the company before it was taken over for, (a) building and extension of plant; (b) purchase of machinery and tools; (c) any other purpose?

19. What was the value of government-owned machinery and equipment in plant at the time it was taken over?

20. What depreciation had the company been allowed to write off against its own investment from 1939 to date on which the government took possession?

21. What percentage was this depreciation of the company's total investment in the plant?

284. Return showing:—

1. How many university graduates employed by the Department of Agriculture, receiving salaries from \$2,000 to \$2,400, have been engaged by the department, (a) less than 5 years; (b) 5 to 10 years; (c) 10 to 20 years; (d) more than 20 years?

2. How many university graduates employed by the Department of Agriculture, receiving salaries less than \$2,000, have been engaged by the department, (a) less than 5 years; (b) 5 to 10 years; (c) 10 to 20 years; (d) more than 20 years?

285. Return showing:—

1. Is the Canadian Vickers plant in Montreal, at which the Douglas D.C. 4 is to be produced, owned by the government of Canada?

2. What is the amount of the total investment of the government of Canada in Canadian Vickers Limited of Montreal?

3. Is there any person or company holding any interest by capital investment, mortgage loan or otherwise, in the Canadian Vickers Limited, other than the government of Canada?

4. What is the name of each member of the Board of Directors of the Canadian Vickers Limited, and by whom were they appointed?

285a. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of May 1, 1944, for a copy of any or all Orders in Council dealing with the proposed production in Canada of an all-Canadian plane to be used by the Trans-Canada Air Lines (Douglas D.C. 4); together with a copy of any agreements entered into between the Trans-Canada Air Lines or any other person acting for the government and Canadian Vickers Limited of Montreal.

Also, a statement disclosing the complete financial interests of the government of Canada in Canadian Vickers Limited, together with copies of documents setting out the terms and conditions for the operation of the plant at Montreal on behalf of the government.

285b. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of April 24, 1944, for a copy of all correspondence and contracts between the government of Canada and Canadian Vickers regarding the building of D-4 aeroplanes.

286. Return showing:—

1. What districts in Canada have been receiving the 25 cents per hundred pounds subsidy for fluid milk?

2. What was the total amount paid out in subsidies for fluid milk in each month from May 1, 1943, to December 31, 1943?

3. In how many cases has action been taken to insure to the producer the receipt of this bonus?

286a. Return showing what amount has been paid by the dominion government to farmers of each of the provinces of Canada, since 1939, in subsidies for the production of, (a) butter; (b) cheese; (c) milk.

287. Order of the House for a copy of plans prepared by the Department of Transport with reference to the enlarging of Stevenson Field, at Winnipeg, as referred to by the Minister of Munitions and Supply, on page 2328 of *Hansard* for April 21, 1944.

289. Return showing:—

1. How many service centres are established throughout Canada for the army, navy and air force?

2. What are the names of these, where is each located, and by what organization is each one administered?

3. Are any of these service centres established and administered entirely by either of the defence departments? If so, which ones?

4. What financial assistance, (a) in establishing; (b) in operating, has been or is being given by the government to each of these service centres?

290. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of March 27, 1944, for a copy of all telegrams, letters, correspondence, reports, petitions and other documents exchanged between the government of the province of Quebec and the dominion government since 1920 concerning geological surveys, (a) in the province of Quebec; (b) in the county of Charlevoix-Saguenay; (c) in the Gaspé peninsula.

290a. Return showing:—

1. Has the government provided financial assistance to persons or companies to aid them in carrying on geological surveys or test drillings for oil?

2. If so, in what provinces are surveys and test drillings being made; what persons or companies are doing the work; what are the terms of the agreements under which the work is being done; how much has been paid to each of these persons or companies to date?

3. In what areas, if any, have the surveys and drillings been completed, and what have been the results in these cases?

290b. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of May 8, 1944, for a copy of all letters, memorandum, telegrams and other documents exchanged between the dominion government and the government of the province of Quebec since 1940 concerning the oil prospects of the Gaspé oil-bearing fields and matters related thereto.

291. Return showing:—

1. When was Defence Communications Limited organized by the government?

2. Who were appointed general manager, chief engineer, assistant chief engineer, and the executive officers?

3. What are their salaries, and what have been their expenses to date?

4. What expenses have been incurred by each of these executive officers and this organization at the Lord Nelson Hotel, Halifax, Nova Scotia?

292. Order in Council P.C. 3059, approved April 27, 1944; constituting the External Trade Advisory Committee composed of representatives of various Government Departments and Boards.

293. Return showing:—

1. At what date did the government expropriate the lands required for the construction of the munition plant at Saint Paul l'Ermite?
2. How many parcels of land have been expropriated for the construction of the munition plant at Saint Paul l'Ermite?
3. How many owners have been affected by such expropriation?
4. How many persons have been awarded compensation as a result of such expropriation?
5. How many persons have not yet been awarded any compensation as a result of such expropriation; (a) what are their names; (b) for what reasons?

294. Return showing:—

1. What was the total quantity, in gallons, of ice cream produced in 1943?
2. What amount of, (a) sugar; (b) butter-fat; (c) gelatine, was used in the manufacture of ice cream during the years 1943?
3. Is sugar and gelatine used in the production of glycerine and explosives?

295. Return showing:—

1. What was the total amount of money spent by the federal, provincial and municipal governments for the purpose of relief during each of the years 1930 to 1940 inclusive?
2. What was the federal government's share of this expense in each of these years to each province?
3. Are the provinces considered to be in debt to the federal government for these advances?
4. If so, how much has each province paid, and how much is still owing by each province?

296. Return showing:—

1. Did the government, since January, 1940, appoint guards or officers at St. Vincent de Paul penitentiary?
2. If so, how many were appointed during the years 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943 and 1944?
3. What are the names of these guards or officers, and their respective places of residence?
4. Was the appointment of these guards or officers recommended by other persons than the Minister of Justice, and if so, who are these persons?

297. Return showing:—

1. What amount of money has been spent each year by the government in supplying sporting equipment goods of all kinds to soldiers, (a) the forces in Great Britain; (b) Italy, Africa and other fronts; (c) camps of the various forces in Canada; (d) prisoners of war overseas; (e) all other theatres of war overseas?
2. Is this work under government control, and is there any duplication?

298. Return to an Order of the House of March 27, 1944, for a copy of all correspondence exchanged between the National Catholic Lay Committee and the government for the purpose of pushing forward at the earliest possible date the building of chapels for the spiritual ministrations of our armed forces whether of the army, the navy or the air force.

299. How much has been paid to Mr. S. T. Shabbits by the Canadian Farm Loan Board, (a) as salary; (b) expenses, since his appointment?

299a. Return to an Order of the House of May 8, 1944, for a copy of all letters, telegrams and other documents in possession of the government in connection with the resignation of S. T. Shabbits, an employee of the Canadian Farm Labour Board, in 1944.

300. An Order in Council P.C. 3378, approved May 5, 1944: modifying certain provisions of the Chinese Immigration Act with reference to (a) persons passing in transit through Canada, (b) those entering Canada for temporary visits, and (c) legal residents in Canada registering for visits abroad.

301. Return showing:—

1. On the 1st of March, 1944, who were the male employees appointed to inspect production at the Robert Mitchell plant, Saint Laurent, Quebec, on behalf of the Inspection Board of United Kingdom and Canada?

2. On the 1st March, 1944, who were the male employees appointed to inspect production at the Robert Mitchell plant, Saint Laurent, Quebec, on behalf of the Inspection Board of United Kingdom and Canada?

3. From the 1st March to the 1st April, 1944, did the general controller of the Inspection Board of United Kingdom and Canada, or his representative in Montreal, dismiss male employees appointed to inspect production at the Robert Mitchell plant, Saint Laurent, Quebec?

4. If so, (a) at what date were any or all such male employees dismissed; (b) have any or all such dismissals taken place following complaints received or made to the knowledge of the general controller or his representative in Montreal on the ground of misconduct; (c) if any of such employees have been dismissed for misconduct, what are these acts of misconduct; (d) what are the names of the dismissed employees, and their address?

302. Order of the House for a copy of all correspondence in the possession of the construction controller, or any official or department of the government, relating to the application of the city of Winnipeg Hydro Electric System for a permit to commence preliminary work on the extension of its Slave Falls plant.

303. Return showing:—

1. How much money was paid to the Sydney and Louisburg Railway for the years 1942-43 by way of subsidy or other assistance?

2. How much money was paid under the Maritime Freight Rates Act?

304. Copy of Order in Council P.C. 3676, approved May 16, 1944: authorizing the establishing of an employer-employee Council with respect to the Public Service of Canada, to be known as the National Joint Council of the Public Service of Canada; together with Draft of Tentative Constitution (Whitley Councils).

305. Return showing:—

1. What department or departments of government is Miss Clare Wallace employed with?

2. What are her duties?

3. What salary is she now paid?

4. What expenses is she paid?

5. Does she broadcast over independent radio stations? If so, what does the government pay for this privilege?

306. Return to an Order of the House of July 15, 1943, for a Return showing what is the approximate number of Canadians, by provinces, now serving in the merchant marine during the present war.

307. Return showing:—

1. Will the official history of the first great war be completed?
2. How many volumes were to comprise the completed history?
3. (i) How many persons have been employed from 1918 to date in the preparation thereof, and what is the total expenditure to date for, (a) salaries, (b) other expenses; (ii) when is completion of the history expected?
4. What steps are now being taken to accord an official record with regard to Canada's participation in the present war?

308. Return showing:—

1. On each one of the following dates, September 1, 1942, August 1, 1943, and April 24, 1944, what was the total number of French-speaking, (a) men; (b) N.C.Os., and (c) officers at A-21, C.O.C.T.C. Barriefield, Ont.?
2. What were the rank and duties of the said N.C.Os. and officers on each one of the above-mentioned dates?
3. What was the total number of, (a) officers; (b) N.C.Os., and (c) men at that training centre on each one of the above-mentioned dates?
4. Who were, (a) the commanding officers; (b) the second in command; (c) the chief instructor, and (d) the senior French instructor, if any, of that training centre since September 1, 1942, and for what period?
5. What were, (a) the birthplace; (b) age; (c) military record of the officers referred to in No. 4, and (d) what was the technical experience of the chief instructors and of the senior French instructor?
6. Was the said commanding officer absent from that training centre in 1943, and if so, from when to when?
7. Who was the chief instructor during that period?
8. Did the said chief instructor recommend one or several new establishments, and if so, (a) what were they, and (b) upon what grounds did he recommend them?
9. Were such new establishments approved and ordered by the G.H.Q.?
10. If so, was the minister, or the associate minister, or an acting minister in charge of the Department of National Defence when the said new establishments were, (a) approved, and (b) ordered?
11. On each one of the dates referred to in No. 1, how many men, and how many French-speaking men were assigned to G.D. at that training centre?
12. What was done for the co-ordination of technical courses in French at that centre since September, 1942?

309. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of March 20, 1944, for a copy of all Orders in Council respecting liability of Doukhobors for military service, and all rules and regulations and instructions issued by the Department of National Defence or the Department of National War Services in connection with the calling up of Doukhobors for service, or alternative work or service, under the National Resources Mobilization Act; and for a copy of all correspondence, telegrams and other documents passing between the Doukhobors and any department of government from the outbreak of the war to date with regard thereto.

310. Return showing:—

1. During the past fiscal year, was hospitalization or medical care, or both, paid by the government for Canadian civil servants or employees injured or taken ill while serving in or passing through a foreign country?

2. If so, how many, and in what departments of government?
3. Was payment for medical care or hospitalization refused in certain cases? If so, why?

310a. Return showing:—

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2. If so, how many, and in what departments of government?
3. Was payment for medical care or hospitalization refused in certain cases? If so, why?

311. Return showing:—

1. What is the set-up of the "National Council for Canadian Soviet Friendship"?
2. Has this council been legally organized? If so, how, and when?
3. Is this council controlled by the government? If so, in what manner?
4. Has this council obtained from the government the authorization to import from U.S.S.R. Soviet films, photographs of life in the U.S.S.R., posters being used in Soviet factories, books and pamphlets about all aspects of life in the Soviet Union? If so, has it been authorized to deliver to Canadian labour unions these films, photographs, books, etc.?

312. Return showing the total amount paid to Honourable J. G. Taggart by the federal government since the outbreak of war.

313. Return showing:—

1. Who is the Wartime Prices and Trade Board administrator in charge of the branch handling grapefruit imports?
2. What firm was he associated with before he joined the Wartime Prices and Trade Board?
3. What quantities of grapefruit juice have been imported during the past year?
4. What firms in Canada were granted permission to import grapefruit juice?
5. What were the total quantities imported by each firm?
6. What subsidy was paid?

313a. Return to an Order of the House of April 24, 1944, for a copy of all correspondence, letters, telegrams, permits, or authorizations, passing between or issued by the Wartime Prices and Trade Board (or any of its officials), to any person or persons, or firm or firms, regarding the purchase and importation to Canada of grape-fruit juice during the past year; together with a statement showing the invoice price and the amount of subsidy paid on the same, and to whom the subsidy was paid.

314. Return showing:—

1. Since 1936, did any members of the House of Commons (ministers of the crown excepted) travel outside of Canada at the expense of the government?
2. If so, (a) what are their names; (b) at what dates, and on what occasions; (c) what were the duties or mission of each; (d) what was the amount of expenses incurred and paid for each of them?

315. Return showing:—

1. Have J. A. A. Leclair and Dupuis Limited, of Montreal, obtained contracts from the dominion government, either from the Department of Munitions and Supply or any other department?
2. If so, for what amounts during 1939, 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943 and 1944?
3. What kind of work have they performed for the government?
4. What is the total amount of payments made to them up to the present in connection with said contracts for each of the years abovementioned?

316. Return showing:—

1. Have Lalonde & Valois, engineers, 606 Cathcart street, Montreal, obtained contracts from the dominion government, and are they associated with Switlik Canadian Parachutes Limited, 3575 St. Lawrence street, Montreal?
2. If so, for what total amount since 1939, and for what amounts in each of the years 1939, 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943 and 1944?
3. Has J. François Leduc, consulting engineers, 354 St. Catherine street east, Montreal, obtained sub-contracts from the dominion government, and is he associated with Switlik Canadian Parachutes Limited, 3575 St. Lawrence street, Montreal?
4. If so, for what total amount during each of the years abovementioned?
5. How much money has been paid to him by the government up to the present?

317. Return showing:—How many cords of firewood were sold and delivered to Valcartier Camp from May 1, 1942, to May 1, 1944, showing, (a) names of dealers; (b) date of deliveries; (c) price?

318. Address to His Excellency the Governor General for a copy of all correspondence, petitions, requests or other documents submitted to the Minister of Finance or any other minister or official of the government, asking for the prevention of the sale or delivery, purchase or acquisition of used beer bottles located in the province of Nova Scotia or the province of New Brunswick for the purpose of removal from the province; a copy of all correspondence passing between the Chief Commissioner of the Nova Scotia Liquor Commission and the Minister of Finance or any other minister or official of the government leading up to the passing of Wartime Prices and Trade Board Order No. A-505 of the 7th day of December, 1942, and dealing with the handling or sale of empty beer bottles within the province of Nova Scotia; also any correspondence passing between the Provincial Bottle Exchange Limited of Halifax, Nova Scotia, and/or D. F. Moriarity and the Minister of Finance or any other minister or official of the government during the years 1942, 1943 and 1944, and having regard to the handling or dealing in, or purchase or sale of empty beer bottles in the province of Nova Scotia; also copy of all correspondence, letters, telegrams, petitions or other documents passing between the Commissioner of the New Brunswick Liquor Control Board and the Minister of Finance or any other minister or official of the government and having regard to the handling or dealing in, or purchase or sale of empty beer bottles in the province of New Brunswick during the years 1942, 1943 and 1944; also a copy of any representations, briefs, correspondence, submissions or other documents presented to the Minister of Finance or the Wartime Prices and Trade Board, or any other official of the government protesting against the terms and conditions of Wartime Prices and Trade Board Administrative Order No. A-505; also copy of any correspondence or requests for permits made to the Minister of Finance or the Wartime Prices and Trade Board or any other official of the government under subsection 2 of section 4 of Order No. A-505.

319. Return showing:—

1. How much money has been expended by the government on, (a) construction; (b) additions; (c) repairs and improvements to quay wall and wharves at Pictou, Nova Scotia, in each fiscal year since outbreak of present war?

2. Were such expenditures carried out by contract or by day work, stating amount paid for each project and to each contractor, and whether proposed work was completed?

3. Were any expenditures made by day work, and if so, state amount, and who was company and person in charge, and amount paid for each contract?

4. Is it proposed to make further improvements, and have public or private tenders been called within the past six months? If so, who were asked to tender, what was the amount of each tender, and to whom were contracts let?

320. Return showing the total number of persons employed by each government department and all outside boards and control boards and government commissions in what is known as, (a) public relations officers; (b) press agents; (c) liaison officers; the return to show the total number of such persons in, (i) civil work; (ii) war work, so engaged.

321. Return showing:—

1. Did the government buy any buildings in Ottawa since January 1, 1943?

2. If so, what buildings?

3. What was the purchase price?

4. Did the government build any buildings in Ottawa since January 1, 1943?

5. If so, what buildings did they build?

6. How much did each cost?

322. Return showing:—

1. Did S. S. Wright, Nova Scotia Fire Marshal, submit a report to Ottawa covering the fire at Pier 21, Halifax?

2. If so, to what department was such report submitted?

3. What were the findings of the marshal as to (a) what took place after the fire was discovered; (b) what equipment was stored there; (c) where the fire originated?

323. Return showing the total amount of moneys paid Justice McTague by the dominion government during the calendar year 1943 under: (a) salary; (b) per diem allowances; (c) travelling or other expenses.

324. Return showing:—

1. Was the government or any department or agency thereof represented at the United States Farm Chemurgic Conference held recently at St. Louis, Mo.?

2. Has the process for the manufacture of syrup from wheat reported at said conference to have been developed at the United States Government's Northern Research Laboratory at Peoria, Ill., been investigated by any agency of the Canadian government with a view to promoting its use, if found feasible, in beet sugar plants or elsewhere in Canada?

325. Return showing:—

1. Since the 1st January, 1940, has the Gallup Poll received any payments from the Dominion government or any agencies, commissions, boards, controls, etc., subject to or under the control of the dominion government or organized under the authority of any dominion laws?

2. If so, when and for what?

326. Return showing:—

1. Did the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, Winnipeg Local Union No. 343, appeal against the action of the National Selective Service Office, in Winnipeg, in directing one or more members of said union to accept employment with Canada Packers, Limited, at St. Boniface, Manitoba?

2. If so, was the appeal allowed or dismissed?

3. What was the wage rate paid to any member or members of said union while employed with Canada Packers Limited?

4. Was this wage rate less than the rate normally received by members of this union in their regular employment?

5. Did the court of referees recommend to the Minister of Labour that a supplementary allowance be paid to such union members, under the provisions of Section 212 (4) of the National Selective Service civilian regulations? If so, has this recommendation been implemented by the minister?

6. If the above-noted recommendation has not been implemented, is consideration being given thereto?

327. Return showing what is the total amount which has been paid to the Bell Telephone Company of Canada by the dominion government since the outbreak of war.

328. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of May 15, 1944, for a copy of all correspondence exchanged between the Department of Munitions and Supply and Canadian Car Munitions Limited in relation to the Cherrier war plant in connection with the termination of operation of the said plant by the said company and the placing of said plant in charge of Defense Industries Limited.

329. Return showing:—

1. How many temporary employees, residing in the county of Laval-Two Mountains, were employed by the Post Office Department during the Christmas holidays, in the month of December, 1942 and 1943, and the month of January, 1943 and 1944

2. What are the names and places of residence, in the county of Laval-Two Mountains, of such temporary employees?

3. Were these temporary employees recommended by someone, and if so, by whom?

4. Have postcards been mailed by the Post Office Department, Montreal division, to applicants for temporary employment during the Christmas holidays?

5. If so, by whom were these postcards sent and signed?

6. What was the complete text appearing on such postcards?

330. Statement showing payments made by the Commodity Prices Stabilization Corporation Limited, from December 1, 1941, to March 31, 1944—subsidies on imported goods—subsidies or reimbursements on domestic products.

331. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of June 5, 1944, for a copy of all correspondence, letters and telegrams exchanged between the dominion government and the government of the province of Quebec, or any other person, association or municipal council, concerning the closing of the zinc-lead mine at Montauban, county of Portneuf.

331a. Address to His Excellency the Governor General for a copy of all correspondence, letters and telegrams exchanged between the Department of Munitions and Supply, the Wartime Metal Corporation and the Siscoe Metal

Limited, pertaining to the opening, operation and closing of the Montauban Zinc Lead Mine, in the county of Portneuf, a mine formerly operated by the British Metal Corporation and the property of Tetrault Mines.

332. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of March 20, 1944, for a copy of Order in Council P.C. 1/3233, April 19, 1943, together with a statement describing the "capital investments" of the government of the United Kingdom acquired by the government of Canada and referred to in the above Order; also for a statement giving amounts of refunds of duties and/or taxes granted to contractor *in amounts not under \$100*, as referred to in paragraph (1) of the said Order; and for a statement of what government-owned plants or incorporated crown companies received the benefit of remission of customs duties and/or taxes, referred to in paragraph (4) of said Order; also amount of refunds or remission of duties and/or taxes paid to or granted to contractors, or increases in contract prices made under paragraph (7) of the said Order.

333. Return showing:—

1. What was the amount of the original tender of the Continental Glove Company of Montreal for the lining of airmen's gloves with shorn lamb?

2. Was the same amount paid to the Continental Glove Company for the lining of the golves with a substitute?

3. What were the names of the inspectors who made the first inspection of the linings?

4. What were the names of the inspectors who made the final inspection and passed the gloves?

334. Return showing whether the Minister of National Revenue has enquired into tax evasion practices alleged to be followed by Canadian Bayer Company, as directed by I. G. Farbenindustrie and Sterling Limited, as reported by Subcommittee on War Mobilization, of the Committee on Military Affairs, of the United States Senate, referred to at page 1972, unrevised *Hansard*, March 28, 1944?

335. Return showing:—

1. What was the amount of war risk insurance on grain?

2. Was there any war risk insurance issued on dominion government property?

3. If so, on what property and where is it located?

4. What was the amount of war risk insurance sold in each province?

5. In what provinces were war risk insurance claims paid?

336. Return showing:—

1. What is the name of the real estate adviser who recommended the purchase of the land for the Rideau Health Centre on the Rideau river?

2. Was he paid a commission or salary for his services? If so, how much?

3. Was the property acquired through an agent?

4. If so, what is the name of such agent?

5. Was a commission paid to him? If so, how much?

6. What has been the cost to March 31, 1944, for drilling for water, levelling, filling, painting, etc., in connection with the Rideau Health Centre?

7. What water and sewage system will be installed?

8. What is the location of the 230 acres under expropriation proceedings?

337. Return showing:—

1. How much money has the government, government departments, or boards thereof, paid to the *Herald*, or E. V. Donnelly, or Basil J. Donnelly of 2411 Yonge Street, Toronto, during each of the years 1939-1943, inclusive?

2. By what departments or boards were the moneys paid, and for what purpose or purposes?

3. What contracts have they, or any of them, with any government departments or boards at the present time?

338. Return showing:—

1. How many fishermen lost all or part of their fishing grounds on Lake Erie to the Royal Canadian Air Force for the use of bombing and gunnery practice?

2. What compensation was paid each pound net fisherman per year?

3. What compensation was paid each gill net fisherman per year?

339. Annual Report covering the administration of the National Physical Fitness Act for the fiscal year 1943-44. (English and French editions.)

340. Return showing:—

1. Has Stephen James Myler been in the employ of the Department of Munitions and Supply at the Quebec Arsenal? If so, (a) since what date; (b) in what capacity; (c) is he still in the employ of the department?

2. Was a complaint for theft by an employee of the government (sec 359 (c) of the Criminal Code), lodged against the said S. J. Myler before a Quebec court of justice? If so, (a) at what date; (b) by whom; (c) under what authority; (d) for what amount?

3. Did a trial take place and what was the verdict?

4. If the said S. J. Myler was found guilty, what was the sentence rendered against him?

5. Were any instructions given by E. Miall, acting Deputy Minister of Justice, concerning the sentence to be imposed upon the said S. J. Myler?

6. Who was the complainant's solicitor in this matter and what instructions were issued to the said solicitor, either as to the conduct of the inquiry or as to the sentence to be imposed?

341. Copy of Convention for the avoidance of double taxation between Canada and the United States of America (Succession Duties) signed at Ottawa, June 8, 1944. (English and French editions.)

342. Order in Council P.C. 4075, approved May 30, 1944: revoking Order in Council P.C. 3205, of May 31, 1943 and approving an Order respecting "Political Activities and Candidature for Parliament and Legislative Assemblies of Members of the Armed Forces", effective May 23, 1944. (English and French editions.)

343. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of March 27, 1944, for:—

1. A copy of all letters, communications, reports or other documents between the Wartime Prices and Trade Board, or any other government board or department and any association of tobacco growers or official thereof, pertaining to the sale of the 1942 and 1943 Ontario tobacco crop.

2. A copy of all Orders in Council or any orders or regulations issued by the Wartime Prices and Trade Board pertaining to the sale of the 1942 and 1943 Ontario tobacco crop or any portion thereof.

3. A copy of all letters, communications, reports or other documents between the Imperial Tobacco Company or any subsidiary or official thereof and the Wartime Prices and Trade Board or any other government board or department pertaining to the disposal of the 1942 and 1943 tobacco crop or any portion thereof.

4. A copy of all letters, communications, reports or other documents between the Wartime Prices and Trade Board or any other government or department and the Tobacco Marketing Board pertaining to the disposal of the 1942 and 1943 tobacco crop or any portion thereof.

344. Return to an Address to His Excellency the Governor General of May 8, 1944, for a copy of all correspondence exchanged between the government of the province of Quebec and the dominion government or the federal Department of Agriculture concerning the payment of part of the freight charges on western wheat to farmers in the province of Quebec, from 1935 to 1944 inclusive.

345. Return showing by provinces, what has been the cost to the federal government (including unpaid balances outstanding) for feed grain, fodder and similar advances during the past twenty years.

346. Return showing a copy of all letters, telegrams, protests and other documents in the possession of the department, regarding the disposal and processing of the 1943 strawberry and raspberry crops in British Columbia, and concerning administrator's orders A-794 and A-1200.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration at the next sitting of the Senate.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Honourable Senator King moved that the Bill (162), intituled: "An Act to amend The War Exchange Conservation Act," be now read a second time.

After debate, and—

The question being put on the said motion,

It was resolved in the affirmative.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Honourable Senator King moved that the Bill (163), intituled: "An Act to amend the Special War Revenue Act," be now read a second time.

After debate, and—

The question being put on the said motion,

It was resolved in the affirmative, and—

Ordered, That it be referred to the Standing Committee on Finance.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Honourable Senator King moved that the Bill (165), intituled: "An Act to amend the Judges Act (Annuities)," be now read a second time.

After debate, and—

The question being put on the said motion,
It was resolved in the affirmative.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Honourable Senator King moved that the Bill (166), intituled: "An Act to amend the Dominion Succession Duty Act," be now read a second time.

After debate, and—

The question being put on the said motion,
It was resolved in the affirmative.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Monday, next, the thirty-first day of July, at eight o'clock in the evening.

The Senate adjourned.

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JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Monday, 31st July, 1944

8 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Duffus,	King,	Michener,
Ballantyne,	DuTremblay,	Lambert,	Murdock,
Beaubien (St. Jean	Farris,	Leger,	Paquet,
Baptiste),	Gouin,	Macdonald	Riley,
Bench,	Griesbach,	(Richmond-West	Robertson,
Black,	Haig,	Cape Breton),	Robicheau,
Blais,	Hardy,	Macdonald	St. Père,
Bouchard,	Hayden,	(Cardigan),	Sinclair,
Chapais	Horner,	MacLennan,	Smith,
(Sir Thomas),	Hugessen,	Marcotte,	Tanner,
Davies,	Hushion,	Marshall,	Vien,
Donnelly,	Johnston,	McGuire,	White.

PRAYERS.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (139), intituled: "An Act to amend the Criminal Code,"

And to acquaint the Senate that they have agreed to the amendment made by the Senate to the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (171), intituled: "An Act to amend the Civil Service Superannuation Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time.

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the first Report of the Joint Committee of both Houses on the Printing of Parliament.

The said Report was adopted.

The Honourable Senator King laid on the Table:—

Naval Orders 3773-3789, dated 15th July, 1944.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 43

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Tuesday, 1st August, 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Ballantyne,	Donnelly,	Hushion,	McGuire,
Beaubien (St. Jean	Duffus,	Johnston,	Michener,
Baptiste),	DuTremblay,	King,	Murdock,
Beauregard,	Euler,	Lacasse,	Paquet,
Bench,	Farris,	Lambert,	Quinn,
Black,	Foster,	Leger,	Robicheau,
Blais,	Gouin,	Macdonald	St. Père,
Bouchard,	Griesbach,	(Richmond-West	Sinclair,
Calder,	Haig,	Cape Breton),	Smith,
Chapais	Hardy,	Macdonald	Sutherland,
(Sir Thomas),	Harmer,	(Cardigan),	Tanner,
Copp,	Hayden,	MacLennan,	Vaillancourt,
Daigle,	Horner,	Marcotte,	Vien,
Davies,	Hugessen,	Marshall,	White.

PRAYERS.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (168), intituled: "An Act for the Support of the Prices of Agricultural Products during the transition from War to Peace," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (170), intituled: "An Act to provide for the Insurance of Veterans by the Dominion of Canada," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Honourable the Chairman from the Standing Committee on Divorce, presented their one hundred and eighteenth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 1st August, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Divorce beg leave to make their one hundred and eighteenth Report, as follows:—

1. With respect to the petition of Ruby Violet Gainsford Moorhead, of the city of Ottawa, in the province of Ontario, dental nurse, for an Act to dissolve her marriage with Thomas John Moorhead, of the village of Bryson, in the province of Quebec, the Committee find that the requirements of the Rules of the Senate have been complied with in all material respects.

2. The Committee recommend the passage of an Act to dissolve the said marriage.

All which is respectfully submitted.

JOHN T. HAIG,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

The Honourable the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Divorce presented to the Senate a Bill (S-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ruby Violet Gainsford Moorhead."

The said Bill was, on division, read the first time.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was, on division, then read the second and third times.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence; also to communicate to that House the evidence taken in the case before the Standing Committee on Divorce, together with all the papers produced in evidence before them, with the request that the same be returned to this House.

The Honourable Senator Beauregard from the Standing Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the Bill (163), intituled: "An Act to amend the Special War Revenue Act," reported that they had gone through the said Bill and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with one amendment, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendment was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

Page 2, lines 23 to 31. For new section 113 (1) substitute the following:—

113. (1) Every person required, by or pursuant to this Act, to pay or collect taxes or other sums or to affix or cancel stamps shall keep records and books of account in English or French at his place of business in Canada in such form and containing such information as will enable the amount of taxes or other sums that should have been paid or collected, or the amount of stamps that should have been affixed or cancelled, to be determined.

The said amendment was concurred in, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill, as amended, was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with one amendment, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honourable Senator King laid on the Table:—

Copy of Order in Council P.C. 5771, dated 27th July, 1944, providing for temporary postponement from military training of coal delivery-men and restricting their voluntary enlistment in the Armed Forces.

Exchange of Notes between Canada and the United States of America constituting an Agreement respecting the payment of expenditures on defence installations in Canada and in Labrador, signed at Washington, June 23/27, 1944. (English and French versions.)

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (171), intituled: "An Act to amend the Civil Service Superannuation Act," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The Senate adjourned.

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JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Wednesday, 2nd August, 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Beaubien (St. Jean Baptiste),	Duffus,	Johnston,	Michener,
Beauregard,	DuTremblay,	King,	Molloy,
Bench,	Euler,	Lacasse,	Murdock,
Black,	Farris,	Lambert,	Paquet,
Blais,	Foster,	Leger,	Quinn,
Bouchard,	Gouin,	Macdonald	Riley,
Calder,	Griesbach,	(Richmond-West	Robicheau,
Campbell,	Haig,	Cape Breton),	St. Père,
Chapais	Hardy,	Macdonald	Sinclair,
(Sir Thomas),	Harmer,	(Cardigan),	Smith,
Copp,	Hayden,	MacLennan,	Sutherland,
Daigle,	Horner,	Marcotte,	Tanner,
Davies,	Hugessen,	Marshall,	Vaillancourt,
Donnelly,	Hushion,	McGuire,	Vien,
			White.

PRAYERS.

The Honourable Senator Copp from the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours, presented the following Report:—

WEDNESDAY, 2nd August, 1944

The Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours to whom was referred the Bill (133 from the House of Commons), intituled: "An Act to amend the Aeronautics Act," have in obedience to the order of reference of 26th July, 1944, examined the said Bill, and now beg leave to report the same with the following amendment, viz:—

Page 4, lines 7 to 16. For paragraph (k) substitute the following:—

(k) prescribing penalties, enforceable on summary conviction, for—

- (i) contravention of or failure to comply with any such regulation, or
- (ii) furnishing false information in any return required to be furnished or filed pursuant to any such regulation, or
- (iii) making a false statement in any return required to be furnished or filed pursuant to any such regulation, such penalties not to exceed a fine of one thousand dollars or imprisonment for six months, or both such fine and such imprisonment, and, as an additional or alternative penalty, the cancellation or suspension of any licence issued under this Part;

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,
Chairman.

With leave of the Senate,
The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the said Report.

The Honourable Senator Copp moved that the said Report be now concurred in.

In amendment, the Honourable Senator Haig moved that the said Report be not now concurred in but that the Bill be referred back to the Standing Committee on Railways, Telegraphs and Harbours with instructions to further amend it as follows:—

Strike out the word "Minister" where it appears in the tenth line of Page 5, Section 12, Subsection 8, and substitute therefor the following:—

"Governor in Council, which appeal must be held and decided upon within three months from the date of the filing of said appeal."

After debate, and—

The question being put on the motion in amendment,

The Senate divided, and the names being called for they were taken down, as follows:—

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The Honourable Senators

Black,	Griesbach,	Macdonald	Robicheau,
Calder,	Haig,	(Cardigan),	Sutherland,
Chapais (Sir Thomas),	Horne,	Marcotte,	Tanner,
Donnelly.		Paquet.	White—14.

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The Honourable Senators

Beaubien (St. Jean Baptiste),	Davies,	Hardy,	Lambert,
Beauregard,	Duffus,	Hayden,	Marshall,
Bench,	DuTremblay,	Hugessen,	Molloy,
Blais,	Euler,	Hushion,	Murdock,
Campbell,	Farris,	Johnston,	Riley,
Copp,	Foster,	King,	St. Père,
Daigle,	Gouin,	Lacasse,	Sinclair,
			Vaillancourt—29.

So it was passed in the negative.

The question being again put on the main motion,

It was resolved in the affirmative.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill, as amended, was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with one amendment, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honourable Senator Black from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce to whom was referred the Bill (159), intituled: "An Act respecting a certain Tax Convention between Canada and the United States of America, signed at Ottawa, in the Dominion of Canada, on the Eighth day of June, 1944," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with one amendment, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendment was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

Page 1. Add to the Bill as clause 5 thereof the following:—

5. This Act shall come into force on a day to be fixed by proclamation of the Governor in Council published in the *Canada Gazette* and shall continue in force until a day to be fixed by proclamation of the Governor in Council published in the *Canada Gazette* following on the termination of the Convention, and no longer.

The said amendment was concurred in, and—

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill, as amended, was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with one amendment, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honourable Senator Black from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (171), intituled: "An Act to amend the Civil Service Superannuation Act," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

Ordered, That the said Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for a third reading to-morrow.

The Honourable Senator Copp, from the Joint Committee of the Senate and the House of Commons on relations between the Federal Government and the City of Ottawa, presented their second and final Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

TUESDAY, 1st August, 1944.

The Joint Committee of the Senate and the House of Commons appointed to review the special problems arising out of the location of the seat of government in the City of Ottawa and to report on the relations between the Federal Government and Municipal authorities of the said city and their relative responsibilities in respect of such problems with power to inquire into the matter and things therein referred to, beg leave to make their second and final Report, as follows:—

In response to the reference contained in the resolution calling for the appointment of a Joint Committee of the Senate and House of Commons for the purpose of investigating relations between the Federal Government and the City of Ottawa, which resolution has been adopted by both Houses of Parliament, seven public sessions of the Committee have been held. Evidence has been heard and recorded from His Worship the Mayor, members of the Board of Control, the Board of Aldermen, and staff officials of the City of Ottawa, the Ottawa Board of Trade, the Chairman and officials of the Federal District Commission, and the Secretary of the Federal Department of Public Works. In addition, private sessions of the Committee have been held to consider the evidence, make recommendations and discuss the drafting of a Report to Parliament.

The problem which has confronted the Committee was twofold. In the first place, the immediate request from the City of Ottawa to have its annual grant from the Federal Government increased, represented the first question that had to be answered; and secondly, there arose the longer term question of the future planning of this Capital City in conjunction with the so-called Federal District.

In the discussion of both phases of the problem as presented to the Committee by all of the witnesses, an admirable spirit of co-operation was reflected in the commonly expressed desire to have the Capital city of Canada made worthily representative in every respect of the Dominion which it has been designed to serve. Sympathetic consideration was also given by these same witnesses to the abnormal conditions created by the war and their effect upon the finances alike of the City and the Dominion.

To deal first with the City's immediate case, the claim for an increased federal grant, as made by His Worship the Mayor and his special committee, was based on the following grounds:—

1. The large increase in the value of Government property from 1925 to 1943.
2. The large amount of taxable property in the City expropriated by the Government from 1925 to 1943 from which the City now receives no revenue, but which it is still required to serve.
3. The street frontage of Government owned property has now increased to 9.3 miles (not including streets owned by the Government) which is almost twice the street frontage of Government property in 1925.
4. That the population of Ottawa, due to special war services established by the Federal Government, has increased from 145,000 in 1939 to 185,000 in 1944.

5. That as the result of the erection of many temporary buildings, and the appropriation of many others, to serve the requirements of expanded Government Departments, such municipal services as water supply, street maintenance, garbage and sewage disposal, police and fire protection have involved materially increased expenditures on the part of the City.

6. That the dislocation of commercial values of private property and local business interests through the location of Government Buildings and the establishment of such decorative features as Confederation Square and the widening of Elgin Street has affected substantially the City's regular sources of revenue.

7. In keeping with the desire to preserve Ottawa as a beautiful capital city its industrial possibilities have never been exploited as might have been expected by reason of the existence of adjacent natural resources of water power, which rather have been used to develop industrial areas in other parts of the province.

8. Finally, as the result of these circumstances, the present annual grant of the Federal Government amounting to \$100,000, represents only 1.743 per cent of the total budget of the City for the current year 1944, as compared with 2.32 per cent in 1925 when the amount of the present federal grant was fixed; and that the Government, according to the brief submitted by the City of Ottawa, should now pay annually to the City a grant equivalent to that proportion of the total net operating expense of the City for the last complete year which the total assessed value of Dominion Government property bears to the whole rateable property of the City plus the value of Dominion Government exempt property. That proportion is represented as 27.428 per cent, or expressed in the form of an annual grant, \$1,597,460.

Over against the foregoing argument, the Committee places the following considerations:—

(1) Ottawa is the Capital city of Canada, the seat of Federal Government for the Dominion, involving the established presence of many thousands of civil servants and other officials within its limits. While the internal economy of this municipality is essentially the business of its tax payers it is inextricably bound up with the future of a National Capital.

(2) In addition to the annual grant of \$100,000 to the City, the Federal Government also provides \$335,000 annually to the Federal District Commission, which co-operates closely with the City in performing various services which represent a substantial contribution to the welfare of Ottawa.

(3) The acquisition by the Federal Government of Gatineau Park whose present maintenance and future development represent in tourist possibilities and in other direct respects a substantial contribution to the City of Ottawa.

(4) That due to enforced postponement of necessary improvements in municipal services during the war years, the City in a measure has been assisted in reducing its debenture debt.

(5) That great need exists for an improved modern system of sewage and garbage disposal, both from the point of view of the interests of the Municipality and the Federal Government. Very little attention has been given to this subject which, in the light of possible future developments, will require joint action on the part of the Government and the City in the planning and financing of that project.

(6) Consolidation of street cleaning and garbage collecting services which are now shared by the Federal District Commission with the City should be effected so that certain duplication of effort be eliminated.

(7) There is urgent need of a Union Terminal Company for Ottawa, embracing the railway companies, as an essential factor in eliminating the present cross-town trackage system, and adjusting tributary transportation facilities to the adequate planning of a National capital.

(8) The City's claim is based mainly upon its assessment value of properties owned or controlled by the Federal Government within the city limits: services such as water, sewage and garbage disposal, street cleaning, fire and police protection are made incidental to that basis of claim. One of the features of the City's position in relation to the Federal Government is Embassy and Legation properties. At the present time, water rates and taxes are paid to the City on these properties by the Government through the Department of Public Works. A proposed agreement between the City and the Government concerning a fixed assessment for purposes of taxation upon this particular class of property is now pending, and is not unrelated to the findings of this Committee. The whole question of the assessed value of Government properties as referred to in the City's statement of claim, must be subject, therefore, to much closer check and investigation than this Committee can give to it. Another point in this connection is the fact that at the present time, over 200 properties leased for office and storage accommodation by the Government in the City, brought an annual rental in 1942-43 of \$800,000, and in these cases City taxes and water rates are paid by the Lessor.

THE FEDERAL DISTRICT AND THE CITY

The members of the Committee, in company with representatives of the City of Ottawa, also spent one day as guests of the Federal District Commission in a tour of the driveways and the Gatineau Park which covers an area of some sixteen thousand acres lying between the Ottawa and Gatineau Rivers and extending to a point some twenty-one miles north of Parliament Hill. It was the unanimous opinion of the Committee that this recently acquired park area represents a beautiful and valuable national asset which should be carefully conserved for future generations of Canadians and their visitors from other countries to enjoy. At the present time it is under the jurisdiction of the Federal District Commission which administers that trust on an annual expenditure of only \$17,000 taken out of the Commission's yearly appropriation.

It is not the purpose of this Committee to make definite recommendations to the Government regarding the future character of a Federal District to embrace this park area and the municipalities on either side of the Ottawa River including the City of Ottawa. We are of the opinion, however, that this long-term project should be committed by the Government to a special commission of experts for investigation and report, involving as it would the possession of expert professional knowledge and the need for extended travel to study the plans and workings of federal capital districts in other countries. From the observations made by this Committee during its investigations, it is clear that with the growth of Canada and the corresponding expansion of its governmental activities, the administrative problems arising between the City of Ottawa and the Federal Government will become more complex and more difficult of settlement than they are now. As an indication of that prospect we would merely stress the inevitable difficulty that will arise in connection with the present reckless system of sewage disposal into the Ottawa River, the both banks of which within the most directly affected area, are the property of the Dominion of Canada.

While the project of a Federal District of the proportions indicated must wait not only for well matured and well founded plans, but also for the widespread support of a crystallized popular opinion throughout Canada, the development of Ottawa as a national capital is proceeding apace, and must not be held up, pending a settlement of the larger question.

Different reports have, from time to time, been made to the Government on the development of this district as a national capital. The report of the Holt Commission set up in 1913 is the most exhaustive of them all. The Greber report made in 1939 agrees in general with the main findings of the Holt Commission. These reports have been before the public for many years and have been illustrated and discussed in the press and have on the whole met with very general approval.

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. In order that such development may be co-ordinated in general with the plans already laid down, we suggest that the powers of the Federal District Commission be increased and its personnel be enlarged to include, not only representation from the Ottawa area, but of the people of Canada as a whole. The name Federal District Commission might even be changed to include the idea of a National Capital.

As we believe from its past record and experience, and the independent nature of this commission, it is the logical arm of government to co-ordinate, in this district, the developments which will take place in the future. Therefore, we recommend that any plans for constructional or development work to be carried out on any government owned or leased land in the district of the National Capital by any department of government should be submitted to the Federal District Commission and not be executed without their approval.

In the event of fundamental differences of opinion between the Federal District Commission and any department of government, regarding the placement or architecture of any proposed construction, or on any question referred to them, the department concerned and the Federal District Commission will make a report to the Governor General in Council setting forth the issue and the decision in such cases, of course, will rest with the Governor General in Council.

In the case of development on land not owned or leased by any federal government body but adjacent to any parkway or driveway maintained by the Federal District Commission, the Commission should be empowered to appoint sub-committees to deal with the City of Ottawa or any other affected municipality in the general area of the National Capital. It would be hoped that any of these municipalities would also appoint similar sub-committees to meet with the Federal District Committee for the purpose of discussing any problems involved. If possible, a joint report should be made but, if that was impossible, respectively separate reports to the municipality in question, and the Governor General in Council, should be submitted outlining such action as might seem desirable in the circumstances.

Co-operation should be established in the location and construction of all public buildings within the Ottawa area, not owned by the Federal Government.

The above suggestions are made as a simple means, with presently existing machinery, of obtaining that co-ordination and adherence to the general plans already laid down for the development of this district which is so necessary and desirable if the National Capital is to grow in an orderly way.

2. With further reference to railway facilities in Ottawa, it is recommended that the Government authorize the Federal District Commission to

initiate negotiations with the Canadian Pacific, New York Central and Canadian National Railways looking to the formation by these systems of a Union Terminal Company to operate and manage all railway facilities and property within the National Capital district, and to report their findings thereon to the government at as early a date as possible. In this connection it is felt that under one management and proper co-ordinated planning much cross-town trackage could be gradually eliminated as well as many grade crossings with their attendant danger to the public and increased cost of operation. We should also like to see associated with this recommendation an effort to re-organize the system of street transportation in Ottawa so as to replace as far as possible the present street cars and tracks with buses.

3. We would recommend that the cleaning of snow from all streets and adjacent sidewalks bordering on government owned or leased buildings in the City of Ottawa, and from the Federal District Driveways within the City and the sidewalks adjacent thereto, and the collecting of all ashes, garbage and other refuse from in and around Government buildings within the City, should be re-organized co-operatively between officials of the City and the Federal District Commission, with a view to applying their respective facilities to this work with the greatest degree of efficiency.

4. After examining all evidence submitted and considering the character of services rendered and the need for immediate capital expenditures in connection with some of them, in which the Federal Government should assume joint responsibility with the City, we recommend that for a period of five years, the annual grant should be increased to \$300,000, and at the end of that period this financial relationship be reviewed.

In submitting this recommendation, which gives the City a percentage of its budget over double that of the federal grant in any previous year, the Committee feels that it is impossible at this time to make an accurate accounting of the relationship existing between the City of Ottawa and the people of Canada as a whole as represented in the Federal Government. Reference has already been made to the question of assessment values. In addition, no attempt has been made, for example, to estimate the economic value to the Municipality of a Civil Servant and his family established here as a permanent employee of the Government. Since 1939, the number of employees in Government Departments established in Ottawa has increased from some 12,000 to 33,500. The war has caused this great increase, but a large percentage of it will remain permanently fixed here after the war is over in order that extended and growing activities of the Federal Government may be served. The Federal Government and the City of Ottawa as well as other nearby municipalities in reality are travelling along the great national highway of Canada in close partnership; and the journey has just been commenced. The objective at the end of the road is a unified Dominion and a great National Capital which in every respect should reflect the strength of a normal and healthy growth.

A copy of the evidence adduced is submitted herewith.

All which is respectfully submitted.

A. B. COPP,

Chairman Senate Section,

J. A. GREGORY,

Chairman, Commons Section.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (161), intituled: "An Act to provide for Family Allowances," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—
With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Honourable Senator King moved that the Bill (168), intituled: "An Act for the Support of the Prices of Agricultural Products during the transition from War to Peace," be now read a second time.

After debate,
The said Bill was read the second time.
With leave of the Senate,
The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.
It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (170), intituled: "An Act to provide for the Insurance of Veterans by the Dominion of Canada," was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The Senate adjourned.

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JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Thursday, 3rd August, 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Beaubien (St. Jean Baptiste),	Duffus,	Lacasse,	Paquet,
Beauregard,	Euler,	Lambert,	Paterson,
Bench,	Fallis,	Leger,	Quinn,
Black,	Foster,	Macdonald	Riley,
Blais,	Gouin,	(Richmond-West	Robicheau,
Bouchard,	Griesbach,	Cape Breton),	St. Père,
Calder,	Haig,	Macdonald	Sinclair,
Campbell,	Harmer,	(Cardigan),	Smith,
Chapais	Hayden,	Marcotte,	Sutherland,
(Sir Thomas),	Horner,	Marshall,	Tanner,
Copp,	Hugessen,	McGuire,	Vaillancourt,
Davies,	Hushion,	Michener,	Vien,
Donnelly,	Johnston,	Molloy,	White.
	King,	Murdock,	

PRAYERS.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (133), intituled: "An Act to amend the Aeronautics Act,"

And to acquaint the Senate that they have agreed to the amendment made by the Senate to the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (159), intituled: "An Act respecting a certain Tax Convention between Canada and the United States of America, signed at Ottawa, in the Dominion of Canada, on the Eighth day of June, 1944,"

And to acquaint the Senate that they have agreed to the amendment made by the Senate to the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (163), intituled: "An Act to amend the Special War Revenue Act,"

And to acquaint the Senate that they have agreed to the amendment made by the Senate to the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (131), intituled: "An Act to amend the Quebec Savings Banks Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (178), intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Export Credits Insurance Corporation and to promote the revival of trade by the provision of Dominion Government guarantees to encourage export from Canada," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The Honourable Senator Black from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (170), intituled: "An Act to provide for the Insurance of Veterans by the Dominion of Canada," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with two amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

1. Page 2, line 25. After "veteran;" insert "or".
2. Page 2, lines 26 to 30. For paragraph (c) of subclause (1) of clause 3 substitute the following:—

(c) with any other person if such person is, under the *Pension Act*, in receipt of a pension relating to the war, at any time within three years after the date of the award of such pension, or within three years after the date of the coming into force of this Act,

With leave of the Senate,

The said amendments were concurred in.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Bill, as amended, was then read the third time.
The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass.
It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with two amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honourable Senator White from the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts, presented their fourth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 3rd August, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts beg leave to make their fourth Report, as follows:—

Your Committee have audited the accounts and vouchers of the Clerk of the Senate, for the fiscal year 1942-43, and have found them correct.

Your Committee have also examined the accounts of the Senate for the period January 1st to December 31st, 1943, and have found them correct.

All which is respectfully submitted.

GERALD V. WHITE,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration to-morrow.

The Honourable Senator White from the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts, presented their fifth Report.

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

THURSDAY, 3rd August, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts beg leave to make their fifth Report, as follows:—

The Committee recommends:—

1. That the appointment of Mr. Thomas Green and Mr. Georges Langlois to the reporting staff of the Senate be continued during the recess of Parliament; and that Mr. Green be paid at the rate of \$25 per week and Mr. Langlois at the rate of \$10 per week.

All which is respectfully submitted.

GERALD V. WHITE,
Chairman.

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into consideration to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (171), intituled: "An Act to amend the Civil Service Superannuation Act," was read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Honourable Senator King moved that the Bill (161), intituled: "An Act to provide for Family Allowances," be now read a second time.

After debate, it was—

Ordered, That further debate on the said motion be adjourned until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the second and final Report of the Joint Committee of the Senate and the House of Commons on relations between the Federal Government and the City of Ottawa, it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Honourable Senator King laid on the Table:—

Report of the Civil Service Commission of Canada for the year 1943.

Copy of an opinion of the Deputy Minister of Justice, dated 23rd May, 1925, with regard to the authority of Parliament to legislate on the subject of old age pensions; and correspondence in connection therewith.

Copy of an opinion of the Deputy Minister of Justice, dated 23rd April, 1930, with regard to the authority of Parliament to legislate on the subject of family allowances; and correspondence in connection therewith.

The Senate adjourned.

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JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Friday, 4th August, 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Beaubien (St. Jean Baptiste),	Fallis,	Lacasse,	Paquet,
Bench,	Foster,	Leger,	Paterson,
Black,	Gouin,	Macdonald	Quinn,
Blais,	Griesbach,	(Richmond-West	Riley,
Bouchard,	Haig,	Cape Breton),	Robicheau,
Buchanan,	Harmer,	Macdonald	St. Père,
Chapais	Hayden,	(Cardigan),	Sinclair,
(Sir Thomas),	Horner,	Marcotte,	Smith,
Copp,	Hugessen,	Marshall,	Sutherland,
Donnelly,	Hushion,	Michener,	Tanner,
Duffus,	Johnston,	Molloy,	Vaillancourt,
	King,	Murdock,	Vien,
			White.

PRAYERS.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (179), intituled: "An Act to amend The Canadian Broadcasting Act, 1936," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading at the next sitting of the Senate.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (167), intituled: "An Act to amend the Customs Tariff," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the second and third times.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (169), intituled: "An Act for the support of the Prices of Fisheries Products during the transition from War to Peace," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the second and third times.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

The Honourable Senator King laid on the Table:—

Naval Orders 3790-3817, dated 22nd July, 1944.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion of the Honourable Senator King, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Monday, next, the seventh day of August, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate resumed the adjourned debate on the motion for the second reading of the Bill (161), intituled: "An Act to provide for Family Allowances."

After further debate,

The said Bill was read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the second and final Report of the Joint Committee of the Senate and the House of Commons on relations between the Federal Government and the City of Ottawa, it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the fourth Report of the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts, it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the fifth Report of the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts, it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

The Senate adjourned until Monday, next, the seventh day of August, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

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JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Monday, 7th August, 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Ballantyne,	Fallis,	Lacasse,	Paterson,
Beaubien (St. Jean	Foster,	Macdonald	Quinn,
Baptiste),	Haig,	(Richmond-West	Riley,
Bench,	Harmer,	Cape Breton),	Robicheau,
Blais,	Horner,	Marcotte,	St. Père,
Bouchard,	Hugessen,	McDonald	Sinclair,
Copp,	Hushion,	(Shediac),	Sutherland,
Daigle,	Johnston,	McGuire,	Tanner,
Davies,	Jones,	Michener,	Vien,
Duffus,	King,	Molloy,	White.

PRAYERS.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Bill (179), intituled: "An Act to amend The Canadian Broadcasting Act, 1936," was read the second time, and—
Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the second and final Report of the Joint Committee of the Senate and the House of Commons on relations between the Federal Government and the City of Ottawa, it was—
Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the fourth Report of the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts, it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the fifth Report of the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts, it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

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JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Tuesday, 8th August, 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Ballantyne,	Fallis,	Lacasse,	Murdock,
Beaubien (St. Jean	Foster,	Macdonald	Paterson,
Baptiste),	Gouin,	(Richmond-West	Quinn,
Blais,	Haig,	Cape Breton),	Riley,
Calder,	Harmer,	Marcotte,	Robicheau,
Chapais	Horner,	McDonald	St. Père,
(Sir Thomas)	Hushion,	(Shediac),	Sinclair,
Copp,	Johnston,	McGuire,	Sutherland,
Davies,	Jones,	Michener,	Tanner,
Duffus,	King,	Molloy,	Vien,
			White.

PRAYERS.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (170), intituled: "An Act to provide for the Insurance of Veterans by the Dominion of Canada,"

And to acquaint the Senate that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Senate to the said Bill, without any amendment.

The Honourable Senator McGuire from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (179), intituled: "An Act to amend The Canadian Broadcasting Act, 1936," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

The Honourable Senator McGuire from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (178), intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Export Credits Insurance Corporation and to promote the revival of trade by the provision of Dominion Government guarantees to encourage exports from Canada," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with several amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

1. Page 2, line 27. Add the following as subclause (2) of clause 4:—

(2) The Corporation may establish offices or employ agents in any part of Canada, and if necessary may employ agents elsewhere than in Canada for purposes of enforcing any right which as a result of a contract of insurance may be vested in the Corporation.

2. Page 3, lines 40 to 44. Leave out subclause (4) of clause 7.

3. Page 5, lines 16 to 21. For subclause (1) of clause 13 substitute the following:—

13. (1) The Corporation may—

- (a) for the purpose of facilitating and developing trade or any branch of trade between Canada and any other country, enter into a contract of insurance with an exporter to insure against the risk of loss involved in a contract for the export of Canadian-produced goods;
- (b) at the request of the Minister of Finance, act as his agent in respect of any matter arising under Part II of this Act;
- (c) do all such things as may be incidental to or consequential upon the exercise of its powers.

With leave of the Senate,

The said amendments were concurred in.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Bill, as amended, was then read the third time.
The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass.
It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with several amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honourable Senator King laid on the Table:—

Copy of Ordinances of the Yukon Territory passed by the Yukon Council in the year 1944.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the second and final Report of the Joint Committee of the Senate and the House of Commons on relations between the Federal Government and the City of Ottawa, it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the fourth Report of the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts, it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the fifth Report of the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts, it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 49

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Wednesday, 9th August, 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Ballantyne,	Duffus,	Lacasse,	Paterson,
Beaubien (St. Jean	DuTremblay,	Macdonald	Quinn,
Baptiste),	Fallis,	(Richmond-West	Riley,
Beauregard,	Foster,	Cape Breton),	Robicheau,
Blais,	Gouin,	Marcotte,	St. Père,
Bouchard,	Haig,	McDonald	Sinclair,
Calder,	Harmer,	(Shediac),	Sutherland,
Chapais	Horner,	McGuire,	Tanner,
(Sir Thomas),	Hugessen,	Michener,	Vien,
Copp,	Hushion,	Molloy,	White.
Davies,	King,	Murdock,	

PRAYERS.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (O-2), intituled: "An Act to change the name of The Discount & Loan Corporation of Canada to Personal Finance Company of Canada,"

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (180), intituled: "An Act to amend the Income War Tax Act," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (182), intituled: "An Act to amend The Excess Profits Tax Act, 1940," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time, and—

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That it be placed on the Orders of the Day for a second reading to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the second and final Report of the Joint Committee of the Senate and the House of Commons on relations between the Federal Government and the City of Ottawa, it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the fourth Report of the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts.

The said Report was adopted.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of the fifth Report of the Standing Committee on Internal Economy and Contingent Accounts.

The said Report was, on division, adopted.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 50

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Thursday, 10th August, 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Ballantyne,	Fafard,	Lacasse,	Murdock,
Beaubien (St. Jean	Fallis,	Lambert,	Paterson,
Baptiste),	Foster,	Macdonald	Quinn,
Beauregard,	Gouin,	(Richmond-West	Riley,
Blais,	Haig,	Cape Breton),	Robicheau,
Bouchard,	Harmer,	Marcotte,	St. Père,
Calder,	Horner,	McDonald	Sinclair,
Chapais	Howard,	(Shediac),	Sutherland,
(Sir Thomas),	Hugessen,	McGuire,	Tanner,
Davies,	Hushion,	Michener,	Vaillancourt,
Duffus,	King,	Molloy,	Vien,
DuTremblay,			White.

PRAYERS.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (91), intituled: "An Act respecting Banks and Banking," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time.

With leave of the Senate,

The Honourable Senator King moved that the said Bill be now read a second time.

After debate, and—

The question being put on the said motion, it was—

Resolved in the affirmative.

The said Bill was then read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (134), intituled: "An Act to encourage the provision of Intermediate Term and Short Term Credit to Farmers for the Improvement and Development of Farms, and for the Improvement of Living Conditions thereon," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

The Honourable Senator McGuire from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (161), intituled: "An Act to provide for Family Allowances," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate,

The Honourable Senator King moved that the said Bill be now read a third time.

After debate, and—

The question being put on the said motion,

It was, on division, resolved in the affirmative.

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

On motion of the Honourable Senator King, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns on Friday, 11th August, instant, it do stand adjourned until Saturday, 12th August, instant, at eleven a.m.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Honourable Senator King moved that the Bill (180), intituled: "An Act to amend the Income War Tax Act," be now read a second time.

After debate—

It being six o'clock, the Honourable the Speaker left the Chair to resume the same at eight o'clock.

8 p.m.

The Senate resumed.

And the debate continuing.

After further debate.

The said Bill was read the second time.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

Pursuant to the Order of the Day, the Honourable Senator King moved that the Bill (182), intituled: "An Act to amend The Excess Profits Tax Act, 1940," be now read a second time.

After debate,

The said Bill was read the second time.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the second and final Report of the Joint Committee of the Senate and the House of Commons on relations between the Federal Government and the City of Ottawa, it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until to-morrow at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

The Senate adjourned.

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JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Friday, 11th August, 1944

11 a.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Ballantyne,	Fafard,	Lacasse,	Paterson,
Beaubien (St. Jean	Fallis,	Lambert,	Quinn,
Baptiste),	Gouin,	Macdonald	Robicheau,
Beauregard,	Haig,	(Richmond-West	St. Père,
Bouchard,	Harmer,	Cape Breton),	Sinclair,
Chapais	Horner,	Marcotte,	Sutherland,
(Sir Thomas),	Howard,	McGuire,	Tanner,
Daigle,	Hugessen,	Michener,	Vaillancourt,
Davies,	Hushion,	Molloy,	Vien,
Duffus,	King,	Murdock,	White.

PRAYERS.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (178), intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Export Credits Insurance Corporation and to promote the revival of trade by the provision of Dominion Government guarantees to encourage exports from Canada,"

And to acquaint the Senate that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Senate to the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (183), intituled: "An Act to Promote the Construction of new Houses, the Repair and Modernization of existing Houses, the improvement of Housing and Living Conditions, and the Expansion of Employment in the Postwar Period," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time,

With leave of the Senate,

The Honourable Senator King moved that the said Bill be now read a second time.

After debate,

The said Bill was read the second time.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (7), intituled: "An Act to incorporate the Industrial Development Bank," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time.

With leave of the Senate,

The Honourable Senator King moved that the said Bill be now read a second time.

After debate,

It being one o'clock, the Honourable the Speaker left the Chair to resume the same at three o'clock.

3 p.m.

The Senate resumed.

And the debate continuing.

After further debate,

The said Bill was, on division, read the second time.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (H-3), intituled: "An Act to incorporate Workers Benevolent Association of Canada,"

And to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the said Bill, without any amendment.

Messages were brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the following Bills, and to acquaint the Senate that they have passed the same, without any amendment.

Bill (K-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Everett Roy Clow."

Bill (L-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Elmore MacLean MacKay."

Bill (M-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ruth Usher Garson."

Bill (N-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Albert Daniel Joseph Doherty."

Bill (O-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Rosie Vogel Blatt."

Bill (P-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of William McKenzie White."

Bill (Q-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Zoe Irene McFarland Craig."

Bill (R-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of George Henry Olaf Rundle."

Bill (S-5), intituled: "An Act for the relief of Ruby Violet Gainsford Moorhead."

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk in the following words:—

THURSDAY, 10th August, 1944.

Resolved,—That a Message be sent to the Senate to return to that House the evidence, etc., taken before the Standing Committee of the Senate on Divorce, to whom were referred the petitions of Everett Roy Clow, Elmore MacLean MacKay, Ruth Usher Garson, Albert Daniel Joseph Doherty, Rosie Vogel Blatt, William McKenzie White, Zoe Irene McFarland Craig, George Henry Olaf Rundle and Ruby Violet Gainsford Moorhead, respectively, praying for Bills of Divorce; and the papers produced in evidence before them.

Ordered,—That the Clerk of the House do carry the said Message to the Senate.

Attest.

ARTHUR BEAUCHESNE,
Clerk of the Commons.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Honourable Senator McGuire from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (134), intituled: "An Act to encourage the provision of Intermediate Term and Short Term Credit to Farmers for the Improvement and Development of Farms, and for the Improvement of Living Conditions thereon," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate, without any amendment.

With leave of the Senate,
The said Bill was then read the third time.
The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.
It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

The Honourable Senator McGuire from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (91), intituled: "An Act respecting Banks and Banking," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with one amendment, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendment was then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

Page 55, lines 41 to 43. For the words "issued in a court of competent jurisdiction in the province in which the deposit was originally made" substitute "in a court of competent jurisdiction in the province in which such debt was owing and payable by the bank before payment to the Bank of Canada under subsection three of this section."

With leave of the Senate,
The said amendment was concurred in.

With leave of the Senate,
The Honourable Senator King moved that the said Bill, as amended, be now read a third time.

In amendment, the Honourable Senator Hugessen moved that the said Bill be not now read a third time, but that it be further amended, as follows:—

1. Page 49, line 48. For "July" substitute "September";
2. Page 50, line 4. For "July" substitute "September".

The question being put on the motion in amendment,
It was resolved in the affirmative.

The question being again put on the motion for the third reading of the Bill, as amended.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass.
It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with several amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honourable Senator McGuire from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, to whom was referred the Bill (131), intituled: "An Act to amend the Quebec Savings Banks Act," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with two amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendments were then read by the Clerk, as follows:—

1. Page 2, lines 11 and 12. For "deposit was originally made" substitute "debt was owing and payable by the bank before payment to the Bank of Canada under subsection two of this section."

2. Page 6, lines 37 to 40. Leave out all the words after "thirty-four" in line 37 to the end of the section and substituted therefor the following:—

"and paragraphs (b), (c), (d), (e) and (f) of section thirty-five of this Act, the market value of such securities may be not less than one hundred per centum of the amount of the loan secured thereby."

With leave of the Senate,

The said amendments were concurred in.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill, as amended, was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with two amendments, to which they desire their concurrence.

On motion of the Honourable Sentaor King, it was—

Ordered, That for the balance of the Session Rules 23, 24 and 63 be suspended in so far as they relate to public Bills.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the second and final Report of the Joint Committee of the Senate and the House of Commons on relations between the Federal Government and the City of Ottawa, it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until to-morrow.

The Senate adjourned until to-morrow at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

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JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Saturday, 12th August, 1944

11 a.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Beaubien (St. Jean Baptiste), Chapais (Sir Thomas), Daigle, Davies, Duffus, Fafard, Fallis,	Gouin, Harmer, Howard, Hugessen, Hushion, King, Lacasse, Lambert,	Macdonald (Richmond-West Cape Breton), Marcotte, McGuire, Michener, Molloy, Murdock, Paterson,	Quinn, Robicheau, St. Père, Sinclair, Sutherland, Tanner, Vaillancourt, Vien, White.
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PRAYERS.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (184), intituled: "An Act to provide for the payment of War Service Gratuities and for the grant of Re-establishment Credits to Members of His Majesty's Forces in respect of Service during the present War," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time.

The said Bill was then read the second time, and—

Referred to the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (185), intituled: "An Act to amend The Canadian and British Insurance Companies Act, 1932," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first, second and third times.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill, without any amendment.

The Honourable Senator King laid on the Table:—

Copy of Order in Council P.C. 6226, dated 7th August, 1944, amending the National Selective Service Mobilization Regulations, 1944.

Copy of Order in Council P.C. 4666, dated 3rd July, 1944, authorizing the Secretary of State for External Affairs to denounce in respect of Canada the International Convention relating to International Exhibitions which was signed at Paris on 22nd November, 1928.

Copy of the Final Act of the United Nations Monetary and Financial Conference, held at Bretton Woods, New Hampshire, U.S.A., from 1st July to 22nd July, 1944, which includes the following:—

1. Resolutions, statements and recommendations adopted at the Conference.
2. Articles of Agreement of the International Monetary Fund, which are attached as Annex A.
3. Articles of Agreement of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development, which are attached as Annex B.
4. Summary of Agreement of the Conference, which is attached as Annex C.

Copy of Exchange of Notes between Canada and the United States of America recording an Agreement concerning the Discovery and Development of Oil Fields in Northwestern Canada (Signed at Ottawa, 7th June, 1944). Treaty Series 1944/16. (English and French versions.)

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the second and final Report of the Joint Committee of the Senate and the House of Commons on relations between the Federal Government and the City of Ottawa, it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

It being one o'clock, the Honourable the Speaker left the Chair to resume the same at three o'clock.

3 p.m.

The Senate resumed.

The Honourable Senator McGuire from the Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce, presented the following Report:—

SATURDAY, 12th August, 1944.

The Standing Committee on Banking and Commerce to whom was referred the Bill (184 from the House of Commons), intituled: "An Act to provide for the payment of War Service Gratuities and for the grant of Re-Establishment Credits to Members of His Majesty's Forces in respect of Service during the present War," have in obedience to the order of reference of 12th August, 1944, examined the said Bill, and now beg leave to report the same with the following amendment, viz:—

Page 7, lines 8 and 9. For clause 25 substitute the following:—

"25. This Act shall come into force on the first day of January, 1945, or on any date between the first day of October, 1944, and the first day of January, 1945, as may be fixed by proclamation of the Governor in Council: Provided that nothing in this section shall be deemed to impair any benefits which would have been enjoyed by the members of the forces or their dependents under the Act if it had come into force on the first day of October, 1944."

All which is respectfully submitted.

W. H. MCGUIRE,
Acting Chairman.

With leave of the Senate, it was—

Ordered, That the said Report be committed to a Committee of the Whole forthwith.

The Senate was, accordingly, adjourned during pleasure and put into a Committee of the Whole on the said Report.

(In the Committee)

The said Report was read and amended by striking out all the words after the words "Governor in Council" to the end of the amendment.

After some time the Senate was resumed, and—

The Honourable Senator Sinclair from the said Committee, reported that they had gone through the said Report, and had directed him to report the same to the Senate with one amendment, which he was ready to submit whenever the Senate would be pleased to receive the same.

The said amendment was then read by the Clerk.

The said amendment was concurred in, and—

The said Report, as amended, was then concurred in.

The said Bill, as amended, was then read the third time.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill with one amendment, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honourable Senator King laid on the Table:—

Copy of Order in Council P.C. 6410, dated 11th August, 1944, establishing The Head of the Lakes Grain Handling Regulations, 1944.

It being six o'clock the Honourable the Speaker left the Chair to resume the same at nine o'clock.

9 p.m.

The Senate resumed.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (184), intituled: "An Act to provide for the payment of War Service Gratuities and for the grant of Re-establishment Credits to Members of His Majesty's Forces in respect of Service during the present War,"

And to acquaint the Senate that they have agreed to the amendment made by the Senate to the said Bill, without any amendment.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 53

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Monday, 14th August, 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Beaubien (St. Jean Baptiste),	Harmer, Hushion,	McGuire, Michener,	Robicheau, St. Père,
Daigle,	King,	Murdock,	Sinclair,
Duffus,	Lacasse,	Nicol,	Tanner,
Fafard,	Lambert,	Paterson,	Vien,
Gouin,	Marcotte,	Quinn,	White.

PRAYERS.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (91), intituled: "An Act respecting Banks and Banking,"

And to acquaint the Senate that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Senate to the said Bill, without any amendment.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk to return the Bill (131), intituled: "An Act to amend the Quebec Savings Banks Act,"

And to acquaint the Senate that they have agreed to the amendments made by the Senate to the said Bill, without any amendment.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the second and final Report of the Joint Committee of the Senate and the House of Commons on relations between the Federal Government and the City of Ottawa, it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

It being six o'clock, the Honourable the Speaker left the Chair to resume the same at half-past eight o'clock.

8.30 p.m.

The Senate resumed.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion of the Honourable Senator King, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns, on the completion of current business, it do stand adjourned until Wednesday, the thirty-first day of January, 1945, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

The Senate adjourned during pleasure.

TUESDAY, 15th August, 1944.

The Senate resumed.

A Message was brought from the House of Commons by their Clerk with a Bill (186), intituled: "An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the public service of the financial year ending 31st March, 1945," to which they desire the concurrence of the Senate.

The said Bill was read the first time.

With leave of the Senate,

The said Bill was then read the second and third times.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That a Message be sent to the House of Commons to acquaint that House that the Senate have passed this Bill.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that he had received a communication from the Assistant Secretary to the Governor General.

The same was then read by the Honourable the Speaker as follows:—

14th August, 1944.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNOR GENERAL

SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that the Honourable Thibaudeau Rinfret, Chief Justice of Canada, acting as Deputy of His Excellency the Governor General, will proceed to the Senate Chamber to-morrow, Tuesday, the 15th August, at 12.15 a.m., for the purpose of giving the Royal Assent to certain Bills.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

F. L. C. PEREIRA,

Assistant Secretary to the Governor General.

The Honourable

The Speaker of the Senate,
Ottawa.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Senate adjourned during pleasure.

After a while the Honourable Thibaudeau Rinfret, acting as Deputy of His Excellency the Governor General, having come and being seated at the 'foot of the Throne,

The Honourable the Speaker commanded the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod to proceed to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that—

"It is the Honourable the Deputy Governor General's desire that they attend him immediately in the Senate Chamber."

The House of Commons being come.

The Clerk read the titles of the Bills to be assented to, as follows:—

An Act for the relief of James Russell Popham.

An Act for the relief of Norma Segal Katz.

An Act for the relief of Harold Almond Jelley.

An Act for the relief of Josephine Kurys Kulczycki.

An Act for the relief of Shirley Harte Harvey Payne.

An Act for the relief of Pearl Anneta Benn Russell.

An Act for the relief Joseph Adélard Paul Bégin.

An Act for the relief of Eugène Charron.

An Act for the relief of Lillian Bessie Noall Salmon.

An Act for the relief of Joan Helen Gorham Glover.

An Act for the relief of Elsie Hollingsworth.

An Act for the relief of Louis Joseph Jules Laurencelle.

- An Act for the relief of Freda Altman Scheien.
- An Act for the relief of Ivan Walter Moore.
- An Act to amend The War Exchange Conservation Act, 1940.
- An Act to amend the Judges Act (Annuities).
- An Act to amend the Dominion Succession Duty Act.
- An Act to amend the Criminal Code.
- An Act for the Support of the Prices of Agricultural Products during the transition from War to Peace.
- An Act to amend the Aeronautics Act.
- An Act respecting a certain Tax Convention between Canada and the United States of America, signed at Ottawa, in the Dominion of Canada, on the Eighth day of June, 1944.
- An Act to amend the Special War Revenue Act.
- An Act to amend the Civil Service Superannuation Act.
- An Act to amend the Customs Tariff.
- An Act for the Support of the Prices of Fisheries Products during the transition from War to Peace.
- An Act to provide for the Insurance of Veterans by the Dominion of Canada.
- An Act to amend The Canadian Broadcasting Act, 1936.
- An Act to change the name of The Discount & Loan Corporation of Canada to Personal Finance Company of Canada.
- An Act to provide for Family Allowances.
- An Act to incorporate the Exports Credits Insurance Corporation and to promote the revival of trade by the provision of Dominion Government guarantees to encourage exports from Canada.
- An Act to amend the Income War Tax Act.
- An Act to amend the Excess Profits Tax Act, 1940.
- An Act to incorporate Workers Benevolent Association of Canada.
- An Act for the relief of Everett Roy Clow.
- An Act for the relief of Elmore MacLean MacKay.
- An Act for the relief of Ruth Usher Garson.
- An Act for the relief of Albert Daniel Joseph Doherty.
- An Act for the relief of Rosie Vogel Blatt.
- An Act for the relief of William McKenzie White.
- An Act for the relief of Zoe Irene McFarland Craig.
- An Act for the relief of George Henry Olaf Rundle.
- An Act for the relief of Ruby Violet Gainsford Moorhead.
- An Act to Promote the Construction of new Houses, the Repair and Modernization of existing Houses, the Improvement of Housing and Living Conditions, and the Expansion of Employment in the Postwar Period.
- An Act to encourage the provision of Intermediate Term and Short Term Credit to Farmers for the Improvement and Development of Farms, and for the Improvement of Living Conditions thereon.
- An Act to incorporate the Industrial Development Bank.
- An Act amend The Canadian and British Insurance Companies Act, 1932.
- An Act to provide for the payment of War Service Gratuities and for the grant of Re-establishment Credits to Members of His Majesty's Forces in respect of Service during the present War.
- An Act respecting Banks and Banking.
- An Act to amend the Quebec Savings Banks Act.

To these Bills the Royal Assent was pronounced by the Clerk of the Senate in the following words:—

“In His Majesty’s name, the Honourable the Deputy Governor General doth assent to these Bills.”

The Honourable the Speaker of the Commons then addressed the Honourable the Deputy Governor General, as follows:—

“MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

“The Commons of Canada have voted supplies required to enable the Government to defray certain expenses of the Public Service.

“In the name of the Commons, I present to Your Honour the following Bill:—

An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the public service of the financial year ending the 31st March, 1945.

“To which Bill I humbly request Your Honour’s assent.”

After the Clerk had read the title of this Bill.

To this Bill the Royal Assent was pronounced by the Clerk of the Senate in the following words:—

“In His Majesty’s name, the Honourable the Deputy Governor General thanks His Loyal Subjects, accepts their benevolence, and assents to this Bill.”

After which the Honourable the Deputy Governor General was pleased to retire.

The Commons withdrew.

The Senate resumed.

The Senate adjourned until Wednesday, the thirty-first day of January, 1945, at three o’clock in the afternoon.

No. 54

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Wednesday, 22nd November, 1944

2 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Duffus,	Lambert,	Molloy,
Ballantyne,	Euler,	Leger,	Moraud,
Beaubien (St. Jean Baptiste),	Fafard,	Lesage,	Murdock,
Bench,	Fallis,	Macdonald	Nicol,
Black,	Farris,	(Richmond-West	Paterson,
Blais,	Haig,	Cape Breton),	Quinn,
Bouchard,	Harmer,	Macdonald	Raymond,
Bourque,	Hayden,	(Cardigan),	Robertson,
Buchanan,	Horner,	MacLennan,	Robichaud,
Calder,	Howard,	Marcotte,	St. Père,
Campbell,	Hugessen,	Marshall,	Sinclair,
Chapais	Hushion,	McDonald	Stevenson,
(Sir Thomas),	Johnston,	(Shediac),	Vaillancourt,
Daigle,	Jones,	McGuire,	Vien,
David,	King,	McIntyre,	White,
Donnelly,	Lacasse,	Michener,	Wilson.

The Senate being adjourned until Wednesday, the thirty-first day of January, 1945, met this day in accordance with the provisions of Resolution adopted by the Senate on the twenty-seventh day of January, last.

PRAYERS.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the second and final Report of the Joint Committee of the Senate and the House of Commons on relations between the Federal Government and the City of Ottawa, it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion of the Honourable Senator King, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Friday, next, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 55

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Friday, 24th November, 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Duffus,	Leger,	Moraud,
Ballantyne,	Fafard,	Lesage,	Murdock,
Beaubien (St. Jean	Fallis,	Logan,	Nicol,
Baptiste),	Farris,	Macdonald	Paterson,
Bench,	Foster,	(Richmond-West	Quinn,
Black,	Griesbach,	Cape Breton),	Riley,
Blais,	Haig,	MacLennan,	Robertson,
Bouchard,	Harmer,	Marcotte,	Robichaud,
Bourque,	Hayden,	Marshall,	St. Père,
Buchanan,	Horner,	McDonald	Sinclair,
Calder,	Hugessen,	(Shediac),	Stevenson,
Campbell,	Hushion,	McGuire,	Vaillancourt,
Chapais	Johnston,	McIntyre,	Vien,
(Sir Thomas),	Jones,	Michener,	White,
Daigle,	King,	Molloy,	Wilson.
Donnelly,	Lambert,		

PRAYERS.

The Honourable Senator King laid on the Table:—

Copy of correspondence between the Prime Minister and the Honourable J. L. Ralston, M.P., during the period November 1st to 14th, 1944, relative to the resignation of Mr. Ralston as Minister of National Defence.

Copy of Order in Council passed under the provisions of the National Resources Mobilization Act, 1940, and the War Measures Act, as follows:—

Order in Council P.C. 8891, approved November 23, 1944: authorizing the despatch to the following localities of service, namely: The United Kingdom and/or to European and/or Mediterranean Operational Theatres such personnel as may be approved by the Governor in Council who are serving by reason of their having been called out for training, service or duty pursuant to the provisions of the National Resources Mobilization Act, 1940.

Copy of Orders in Council P.C. 7995, dated October 13th; P.C. 8207, dated October 24th; P.C. 8368, dated October 30th; and P.C. 8051, dated October 17th, 1944, passed under the authority of the Public Service Re-arrangement and Transfer of Duties Act, transferring certain powers, duties and functions to the Minister of Reconstruction and the Minister of Veterans Affairs.

Copy of Order in Council P.C. 76/510, dated January 26th, 1944, transferring A. K. Light from the Department of Public Works to the staff of the National Research Council.

Copy of Naval Orders 3818-4073, dated from July 29th, 1944, to November 4th, 1944, and Naval Orders 4074-4097, dated November 11th, 1944.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the second and final Report of the Joint Committee of the Senate and the House of Commons on relations between the Federal Government and the City of Ottawa, it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion of the Honourable Senator King, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Tuesday, next, at eight o'clock in the evening.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 56

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Tuesday, 28th November, 1944

8 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	David,	Jones,	Michener,
Ballantyne,	Donnelly,	King,	Molloy,
Beaubien (St. Jean	Duffus,	Lambert,	Moraud,
Baptiste),	Fafard,	Leger,	Murdock,
Beauregard,	Farris,	Lesage,	Nicol,
Bench,	Foster,	Macdonald	Paterson,
Black,	Griesbach,	(Richmond-West	Quinn,
Blais,	Haig,	Cape Breton),	Riley,
Bouchard,	Hardy,	MacLennan,	Robertson,
Bourque,	Harmer,	Marcotte,	Robichau,
Buchanan,	Hayden,	Marshall,	St. Père,
Calder,	Horner,	McDonald	Sinclair,
Campbell,	Howard,	(Shediac),	Stevenson,
Chapais	Hugessen,	McGuire,	Vien,
(Sir Thomas),	Johnston,	McIntyre,	White,
Daigle,			Wilson.

PRAYERS.

The Honourable Senator King laid on the Table:—

Naval Orders 4098-4115, dated 18th November, 1944.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the second and final Report of the Joint Committee of the Senate and the House of Commons on relations between the Federal Government and the City of Ottawa, it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion of the Honourable Senator King, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until to-morrow at eight o'clock in the evening.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 57

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Wednesday, 29th November, 1944

8 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	David,	Johnston,	Michener,
Ballantyne,	Donnelly,	Jones,	Molloy,
Beaubien (St. Jean Baptiste),	Duffus,	King,	Moraud,
Beauregard,	Fafard,	Lambert,	Murdock,
Bench,	Farris,	Leger,	Nicol,
Black,	Foster,	Lesage,	Paterson,
Blais,	Griesbach,	Macdonald	Quinn,
Bouchard,	Haig,	(Richmond-West	Riley,
Bourque,	Hardy,	Cape Breton),	Robertson,
Buchanan,	Harmer,	MacLennan,	Robicheau,
Calder,	Hayden,	Marcotte,	Sinclair,
Campbell,	Horner,	Marshall,	Stevenson,
Chapais	Howard,	McDonald	Vaillancourt,
(Sir Thomas),	Hugessen,	(Shediac),	Vien,
Daigle,	Hushion,	McGuire,	White,
		McIntyre,	Wilson.

PRAYERS.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the second and final Report of the Joint Committee of the Senate and the House of Commons on relations between the Federal Government and the City of Ottawa, it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

The Senate adjourned during pleasure.

The Senate resumed.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion of the Honourable Senator King, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until to-morrow at half-past two o'clock in the afternoon.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 58

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Thursday, 30th November, 1944

2.30 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Donnelly,	Lambert,	Moraud,
Ballantyne,	Fafard,	Leger,	Murdock,
Beaubien (St. Jean Baptiste),	Farris,	Lesage,	Nicol,
Beauregard,	Foster,	Macdonald	Paterson,
Bench,	Griesbach,	(Richmond-West	Quinn,
Black,	Haig,	Cape Breton),	Riley,
Blais,	Hardy,	MacLennan,	Robertson,
Bourque,	Hayden,	Marcotte,	Robicheau,
Buchanan,	Horner,	Marshall,	St. Père,
Calder,	Howard,	McDonald	Sinclair,
Campbell,	Hugessen,	(Shediac),	Stevenson,
Chapais	Hushion,	McGuire,	Vaillancourt,
(Sir Thomas),	Johnston,	McIntyre,	Vien,
David,	Jones,	Michener,	White,
	King,	Molloy,	Wilson.

PRAYERS.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the second and final Report of the Joint Committee of the Senate and the House of Commons on relations between the Federal Government and the City of Ottawa, it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 59

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Friday, 1st December, 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	David,	Lesage,	Morand,
Ballantyne,	Donnelly,	Macdonald	Murdock,
Beaubien (St. Jean	Fafard,	(Richmond-West	Paterson,
Baptiste),	Foster,	Cape Breton),	Quinn,
Beauregard,	Griesbach,	MacLennan,	Riley,
Bench,	Haig,	Marcotte,	Robertson,
Black,	Harmer,	Marshall,	Robicheau,
Blais,	Horner,	McDonald	St. Père,
Bourque,	Johnston,	(Shediac),	Sinclair,
Buchanan,	Jones,	McGuire,	Vien,
Calder,	King,	McIntyre,	White,
Chapais	Lambert,	Michener,	Wilson.
(Sir Thomas),	Leger,	Molloy,	

PRAYERS.

On motion of the Honourable Senator King, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns, on completion of current business of the Session, it do stand adjourned until Wednesday, 31st January, 1945, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the second and final Report of the Joint Committee of the Senate and the House of Commons on relations between the Federal Government and the City of Ottawa, it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

With leave of the Senate, and—

On motion of the Honourable Senator King, it was—

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns to-day, it do stand adjourned until Monday, next, at eight o'clock in the evening.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 60

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Monday, 4th December, 1944

8 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Foster,	MacLennan,	Paterson,
Ballantyne,	Griesbach,	Marcotte,	Riley,
Beaubien (St. Jean Baptiste),	Harmer,	Marshall,	Robertson,
Bench,	Horner,	McDonald	Robicheau,
Calder,	Johnston,	(Shediac),	St. Père,
Daigle,	King,	McIntyre,	Sinclair,
Duffus,	Lambert,	Michener,	Stevenson,
DuTremblay,	Macdonald	Molloy,	Vien,
Fafard,	(Richmond-West	Moraud,	White,
	Cape Breton),	Murdock,	Wilson.

PRAYERS.

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the second and final Report of the Joint Committee of the Senate and the House of Commons on relations between the Federal Government and the City of Ottawa, it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

The Senate adjourned.

No. 61

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Tuesday, 5th December, 1944

3 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Aseltine,	Griesbach,	MacLennan,	Paterson,
Ballantyne,	Hardy,	Marcotte,	Riley,
Beaubien (St. Jean	Harmer,	Marshall,	Robertson,
Baptiste),	Horner,	McDonald	Robicheau,
Bench,	Hushion,	(Shediac),	St. Père,
Calder,	Johnston,	McIntyre,	Sinclair,
Daigle,	King,	Michener,	Stevenson,
Duffus,	Lambert,	Molloy,	Vien,
DuTremblay,	Lesage,	Moraud,	White,
Fafard,	Macdonald	Murdoch,	Wilson.
Foster,	(Richmond-West		
	Cape Breton),		

PRAYERS.

The Honourable Senator King laid on the Table:—

Report of the Civil Service Commission for the year 1943 (French edition).

The Order of the Day being called for the consideration of the second and final Report of the Joint Committee of the Senate and the House of Commons on relations between the Federal Government and the City of Ottawa, it was—

Ordered, That the said Order of the Day be postponed until the next sitting of the Senate.

The Senate adjourned until Wednesday, the thirty-first day of January, 1945, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

No. 62

JOURNALS

OF

THE SENATE OF CANADA

Wednesday, 31st January, 1945

2.30 p.m.

The Honourable THOMAS VIEN, Speaker.

The Members convened were:—

The Honourable Senators

Ballantyne,	Duffus,	Lambert,	Murdock,
Bench,	DuTremblay,	Leger,	Nicol,
Bouchard,	Fafard,	Lesage,	Paterson,
Buchanan,	Hardy,	Marcotte,	Raymond,
Calder,	Harmer,	McDonald	Robertson,
Campbell,	Howard,	(Shediac),	St. Père,
Copp,	Hugessen,	McGuire,	Vaillancourt,
Daigle,	Hushion,	Michener,	Vien,
Davies,	King,	Molloy,	White,
Duff,	Lacasse,		Wilson.

PRAYERS.

The Honourable the Speaker informed the Senate that he had received a Communication from the Assistant Secretary to the Governor General.

The same was then read by the Honourable the Speaker, as follows:—

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL'S SECRETARY, CANADA

OTTAWA, 29th January, 1945.

SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that the Honourable Thibaudeau Rinfret, acting as Deputy of His Excellency the Governor General, will proceed to the Senate Chamber on Wednesday, 31st January, at 2.45 p.m., for the purpose of proroguing the present Session of Parliament.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

F. L. C. PEREIRA,

Assistant Secretary to the Governor General.

The Honourable
The Speaker of the Senate,
Ottawa.

Ordered, That the same do lie on the Table.

The Senate adjourned during pleasure.

After a while the Honourable Thibaudeau Rinfret, acting as Deputy of His Excellency the Governor General, having come and being seated at the foot of the Throne,

The Honourable the Speaker commanded the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod to proceed to the House of Commons and acquaint that House that—

“It is the desire of the Honourable the Deputy Governor General that they attend him immediately in the Senate Chamber.”

The House of Commons being come,

The Honourable the Deputy Governor General was pleased to close the Fifth Session of the Nineteenth Parliament of the Dominion of Canada with the following Speech:—

Honourable Members of the Senate:

Members of the House of Commons:

The war is now in its sixth year. To-day, decisive battles are being fought on German soil. Under sustained pressure the defeat of Germany is but a matter of time. Present operations involve bitter fighting and heavy losses. The last phase of the struggle in Europe may well be the most costly of all. To effect the utmost saving of human life, every effort must be put forth to end the war as swiftly as possible. This clearly remains the supreme objective.

In the year that has passed since the opening of the present session, German forces everywhere have been compelled to yield ground. The whole territory of the Soviet Union has been liberated. The long awaited offensive in the West was successfully launched on June 6th. One by one, great European capitals have been taken back from their conquerors. The enemy has been almost completely swept out of France, Belgium, Luxemburg, Greece, Yugoslavia, and Poland. The liberation of Holland, Norway and Czechoslovakia has begun. Germany's satellite states have all been driven from her side. Her frontiers have been breached. Her war industries are being systematically demolished. On the East and on the West and from the South, the allied forces are pressing on to the very heart of Germany.

In the struggle against Japan, the long Chinese resistance has been maintained. Allied forces have successfully invaded the Philippines. Significant gains have been made on the Asiatic mainland. Bombing raids have brought the war home to the Japanese islands and their industrial strongholds. On both sides of the world, the United Nations have gained supremacy at sea and in the air. It is but a matter of time until the combined power of the allies will be concentrated against Japan.

Throughout the year, Canada's navy and air force continued their vital work in the North Atlantic. In the landings in Normandy, and in all the campaigns since D-day, the navy and the air force have supported Canada's army. Our soldiers have won a foremost place by their magnificent conduct in battle in Italy, in France, in Belgium, in Holland, and on the borders of Germany. Canada's fighting men of all the services, wherever they have fought around the globe, have brought imperishable honour to our country.

In the campaign in northwest Europe, infantry casualties in all allied armies were much heavier than had been anticipated. In order to guard against a possible shortage of fully trained infantry reinforcements, it became necessary and advisable to adopt the procedure outlined in 1942. Reinforcements have been regularly forthcoming on the extended scale thereby provided for. To our armed forces, Canada has given, and will continue to give, the fullest support in men, munitions and supplies.

As an integral part of a total national effort, Canada has continued to provide mutual aid to our allies. For the joint and effective prosecution of the war, Britain, Russia, France, Australia, New Zealand, China and India have been furnished with Canadian war supplies and foodstuffs.

With your approval, the principle of mutual aid was extended to include contributions by Canada to relief and rehabilitation in liberated countries. In the period of transition from war to peace, the provision of international relief will help to maintain full employment of Canadian manpower and resources.

As in the previous sessions, your attention has been directed to the winning of the war as the first of all objectives. Next to the winning of the war, the winning of the peace is the supreme end to be achieved. My ministers hold strongly to the view that peace can only be made lasting through co-operative action on the part of peace-loving nations. They believe that the nations now united in the common purpose of winning the war should seek unitedly to ensure an enduring peace. To this end, Canada has sought to make a positive contribution.

During his visit to Britain in May, my Prime Minister exchanged views on the subject of a world security organization with the Prime Ministers of

other nations of the British Commonwealth. Since that time, preliminary conferences of the greater powers, on the establishment of an international security organization, have been held at Dumbarton Oaks. In anticipation of a general conference, Canada's views respecting some aspects of the proposals of the preliminary conferences have since been communicated to these powers.

World security is the basis of lasting prosperity and of social security. Prosperity, like security, cannot be the possession of any nation in isolation. Prosperity, likewise, demands international co-operation. Canada's prosperity and the well-being of our people are bound up with the restoration and expansion of world trade. To the efficient employment of vast numbers of Canadians, export markets are essential. Similarly, to raise the standard of living, larger imports are needed. In this belief the government has continued, in accordance with the principles of the Atlantic Charter, to explore with other countries the means by which, after the war, international trade may be revived and developed.

The vital importance of exports in maintaining employment was recognized in legislation, which has since been brought into effect, to provide for the insurance and guarantee of export credits. Provision was also made for the expansion abroad of the trade commissioner service of Canada.

During the session, all customs duties on farm implements were removed, thereby helping to keep down farm costs, with benefit alike to the producers and consumers of agricultural products. By this important measure, my ministers have also given concrete evidence of Canada's readiness, in association with other nations, to further international trade by the reduction of tariff barriers.

The assurance of opportunity of employment for all who are willing and able to work is the corner-stone of the government's programme to achieve prosperity and social security. There is a special responsibility to establish the men and women of our armed forces in useful and remunerative activities. The maintenance of a high level of employment and production after the war is the first essential of a policy which also aims at a rising level of human well-being. The many important measures enacted at the session now closing mark substantial progress towards the attainment of these goals. Practically all these measures are already in force. Viewed collectively, they form an impressive legislative achievement. In their comprehensiveness and interrelation, they constitute a major instalment of a programme to prevent the possible recurrence of unemployment and insecurity in post-war years.

To further the government's policies of full employment, social security and human welfare, three new departments of government have been established, all of which are now under the direction of responsible ministers of the Crown:

1. The Department of Veterans Affairs;
2. The Department of Reconstruction; and
3. The Department of National Health and Welfare.

The Department of Veterans Affairs has charge of the rehabilitation and re-establishment of members of the armed forces, and of the administration of veterans' pensions and allowances.

The new department is already administering measures directly related to the re-establishment of veterans in civil life, the care of disabled veterans, and the provision for the dependents of those who have given their lives. The administrative machinery for this vast undertaking is being steadily developed and improved. Nearly 200,000 veterans of this war have already been re-established in civil life.

The War Service Grants Act and the Veterans Insurance Act, passed at the present session, round out the most comprehensive programme yet adopted by any nation for the welfare of its war veterans and their return to active civilian pursuits.

The Department of Reconstruction is engaged in making preparations for the speedy conversion of war industries to meet peace-time needs and to maintain industrial employment. It is also promoting and co-ordinating programmes of national and regional development, housing and community planning, and other projects which may be required to maintain employment in the post-war period. It is responsible for the orderly disposal of surplus war assets in the national interest. Representative agencies are already engaged in this large and important task.

To assist in the conversion of war plants, and in the development of small and medium-scale enterprises, an Industrial Development Bank has been established. It is now in operation.

In keeping up the level of employment after the war, housing should play a large part. To provide for the construction of new houses, the repair and modernization of existing houses, and the improvement of urban and rural housing and living conditions, the National Housing Act was greatly expanded in scope.

In the decennial revision of the Bank Act, made at the present session, special recognition was given to the importance of credit in stimulating employment. The new act has greatly improved the credit facilities and the banking services available to the people of Canada. By supplementary legislation, special provision was made for intermediate and short term credit to farmers for the improvement and development of farms and farm homes.

The Department of National Health and Welfare is engaged in organizing and administering important activities of the federal government in the field of health and social welfare.

In opening the present session, I said that, in the opinion of my ministers, plans for the establishment of a national minimum of social security and human welfare should be advanced as rapidly as possible. In the establishment of this national minimum, the new department has the responsibility for federal measures to promote health and welfare, and for the planning of comprehensive insurance against social hazards.

A considerable measure of social security is already provided under federal and provincial social legislation. But the working out of a comprehensive national scheme in which federal and provincial activities will be integrated will require further consultation and close co-operation with the provinces.

I announced, at the opening, that the government was prepared to recommend a measure to provide for federal assistance in a nation-wide system of health insurance. Such a measure would include assistance to the provinces for preventive medicine. I also stated that the government was prepared to support a national scheme of contributory old age pensions on a basis more generous than that of existing pensions. The introduction of these measures is conditional upon suitable agreements with the provinces. My ministers reaffirm their readiness, as soon as such agreements are reached, to proceed with these great social reforms.

Recognizing the importance, to the maintenance of post-war employment and to the achievement of social security, of close co-operation with the provinces, the government undertook and is carrying forward preparations for the holding, at the earliest appropriate date, of a Dominion-Provincial Conference.

In the belief that the family and the home are the foundation of national life, provision has been made for family allowances to aid in ensuring a minimum of well-being to the children of the nation, and to help gain for them a closer approach to equality of opportunity in the battle of life. Family allowances are being administered by the Department of National Health and Welfare. The registration of children begins to-morrow. The payment of allowances is to begin from July 1st.

In the opinion of my ministers, the Family Allowances Act and other social security measures designed to ensure a national minimum of human welfare will aid materially in maintaining production and employment.

The basic standard of living of the Canadian people and the purchasing power of the dollar have continued to be successfully protected by the price ceiling and other policies of the government designed to prevent inflation. The value of these policies will be more apparent than ever in meeting post-war problems.

As a further safeguard of a basic standard of living, provision was made at the present session of floors under the prices of farm and fish products. These measures insure two great primary industries against the hazard of a collapse of markets or prices after the war.

To advise and assist the government in the regulation and development of civil aviation, an Air Transport Board has been established. Under the government's policy regarding post-war civil aviation, of which you have been informed, international and transcontinental services are reserved for public development; local services may be developed by private enterprise.

In April and May, a meeting of Prime Ministers of the British Commonwealth was held in London. My Prime Minister participated in its proceedings and, while in London, addressed a meeting of the members of both houses of the Parliament of the United Kingdom.

In September, for the second time during the present war, the government was host to the Prime Minister of Great Britain and the President of the United States and their advisers, at a conference held at Quebec.

In the same month a meeting of the Council of the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration was held at Montreal. During the year, Canada was also represented at the International Monetary Conference at Bretton Woods and at the International Conference on Civil Aviation at Chicago. There were continuous conferences on a variety of subjects between my Ministers and the governments of the United Kingdom and the United States.

The Sixth and Seventh Victory Loans, held during the year, substantially exceeded their objectives. In each loan, the number of individual subscribers established a new record. You will be gratified by this unparalleled response, and will desire me to record your appreciation of the splendid services of the National War Finance Committee and its provincial and local organizations.

During the past year, relations between employers and employees have been increasingly harmonious. A larger number of workers have been employed throughout the year than ever before. The production of foodstuffs and of the raw materials and finished munitions of war exceeded production in any previous year.

Too high a tribute cannot be paid to the unselfish devotion to war-time duties of the vast majority of our people in all walks of life. In addition to their daily tasks, hundreds of thousands have given freely of their time and

energies to indispensable voluntary activities. By their efforts at home, the men and women of Canada have demonstrated their eagerness to support to the utmost the fighting forces overseas.

Members of the House of Commons:

I thank you for the financial appropriations for the prosecution of the war.

The provision you have made for the exercise of the franchise in a general election by the men and women in the armed forces will afford them the widest opportunity to exercise this fundamental right of citizenship.

Honourable Members of the Senate:

Members of the House of Commons:

Canada's war effort over the past five years speaks for itself.

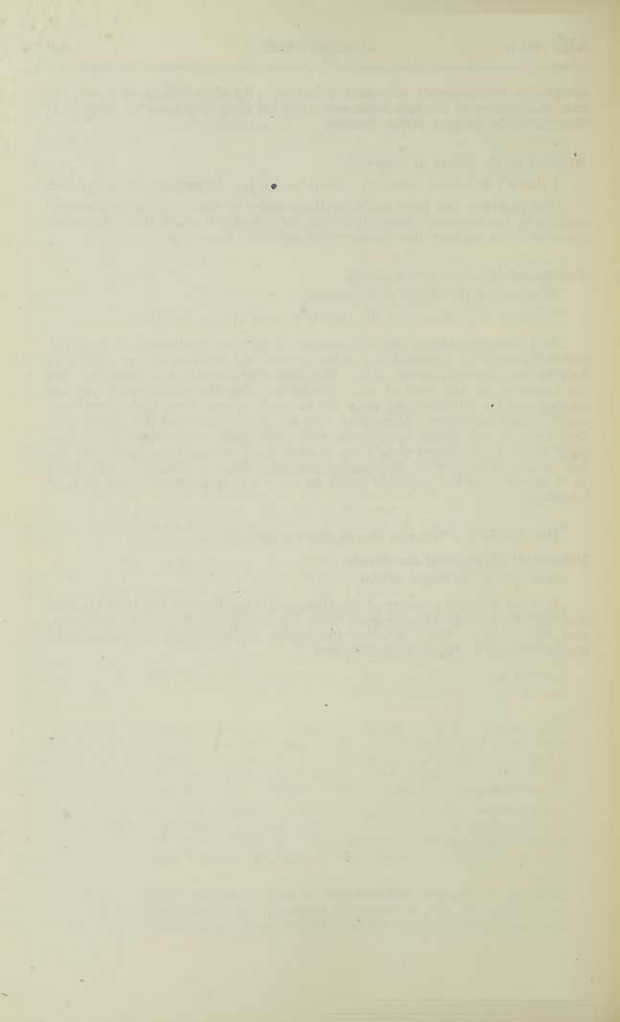
As I bring to a close this fifth session of our war Parliament, I join with you in a prayer for a speedy end to the horrors and sacrifices of war. In God's keeping, we leave our heroic dead. We shall ever honour their memory. For the bereaved, we ask comfort and consolation. For the prisoners of war, the missing and the wounded, we pray for an early release from their privations, anxieties and sufferings. More than ever our thoughts are of the hundreds of thousands of our young Canadians, who, with their comrades-in-arms from other lands, have offered their lives to save from conquest and servitude the free nations of the world. We humbly pray that Divine Providence may grant to all who survive the ordeal of battle an early and triumphant return to their homeland.

His Honour the SPEAKER OF THE SENATE then said:—

Honourable Members of the Senate:

Members of the House of Commons:

It is the will and pleasure of the Honourable the Deputy Governor General that this Parliament be prorogued until the twenty-eighth day of February, next, to be here holden; and this Parliament is accordingly prorogued until the twenty-eighth day of February, next.



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3rd—Means read the third time.

Coms.—Means House of Commons.

C. of W.—Means Committee of the Whole.

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JAMES A. CALDER, P.C.....	Saltcoats	Regina, Sask.
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FRANK B. BLACK.....	Westmorland	Sackville, N.B.
ARTHUR C. HARDY, P.C.....	Leeds	Brockville, Ont.
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WILLIAM ASHBURY BUCHANAN.....	Lethbridge	Lethbridge, Alta.
ARTHUR BLISS COPP, P.C.....	Westmorland	Sackville, N.B.
JOHN PATRICK MOLLOY.....	Provencher	Winnipeg, Man.
DANIEL E. RILEY.....	High River	High River, Alta.
WILLIAM H. McGUIRE.....	East York	Toronto, Ont.
DONAT RAYMOND.....	De la Vallière	Montreal, Que.
GUSTAVE LACASSE	Essex	Tecumseh, Ont.
WALTER E. FOSTER, P.C.	Saint John.....	Saint John, N.B.

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JAMES H. KING, P.C.....	Kootenay East	Victoria, B.C.
ARTHUR MARCOTTE.....	Ponteix	Ponteix, Sask.
ALEXANDER D. MCRAE, C.B.....	Vancouver	Vancouver, B.C.
CHARLES COLQUHOUN BALLANTYNE, P.C...	Alma	Montreal, Que.
WILLIAM HENRY DENNIS.....	Halifax	Halifax, N.S.
JOHN ALEXANDER MACDONALD.....	Richmond— West Cape Breton...	St. Peters, Cape Breton, N.S.
LUCIEN MORAUD.....	La Salle	Quebec, Que.
RALPH BYRON HORNER.....	Saskatchewan North...	Blaine Lake, Sask.
WALTER MORLEY ASELTYNE.....	West Central Saskatchewan	Rosetown, Sask.
THOMAS CANTLEY.....	New Glasgow	New Glasgow, N.S.
FELIX P. QUINN.....	Bedford-Halifax	Bedford, N.S.
JOHN L. P. ROBICHEAU.....	Digby-Clare	Maxwellton, N.S.
JOHN A. MACDONALD, P.C.....	Cardigan	Cardigan, P.E.I.
DONALD SUTHERLAND, P.C.....	Oxford	Ingersoll, Ont.
IYA CAMPBELL FALLIS	Peterborough	Peterborough, Ont.
GEORGE B. JONES, P.C.....	Royal	Apoahqui, N.B.
ANTOINE J. LÉGER.....	L'Acadie	Moncton, N.B.
HENRY A. MULLINS.....	Marquette	Winnipeg, Man.
JOHN T. HAIG.....	Winnipeg	Winnipeg, Man.
EUGÈNE PAQUET, P.C.....	Lauzon	St. Romuald, Que.
WILLIAM DUFF.....	Lunenburg	Lunenburg, N.S.
JOHN W. DE B. FARRIS.....	Vancouver South	Vancouver, B.C.
ADRIAN K. HUGESSEN	Inkerman	Montreal, Que.
NORMAN P. LAMBERT	Ottawa	Ottawa, Ont.
DUNCAN McL. MARSHALL.....	Peel	Toronto, Ont.
J. FERNAND FAFARD.....	De la Durantaye.....	L'Islet, Que.
ARTHUR LUCIEN BEAUBIEN	St. Jean Baptiste	St. Jean Baptiste, Man.
JOHN J. STEVENSON.....	Prince Albert	Regina, Sask.
ARISTIDE BLAIS.....	St. Albert	Edmonton, Alta.
DONALD MACLENNAN.....	Margaree Forks	Margaree Forks, N.S.
CHARLES BENJAMIN HOWARD.....	Wellington	Sherbrooke, Que.
ELIE BEAUREGARD.....	Rougemont	Montreal, Que.
ATHANASE DAVID.....	Sorel	Montreal, Que.

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THE HONOURABLE		
EDOUARD CHARLES ST-PÈRE.....	De Lanaudière	Montreal, Que.
SALTER ADRIAN HAYDEN	Toronto	Toronto, Ont.
NORMAN MCLEOD PATERSON.....	Thunder Bay	Fort William, Ont.
WILLIAM JAMES HUSHION.....	Victoria	Westmount, Que.
JOSEPH JAMES DUFFUS.....	Peterborough West	Peterborough, Ont.
WILLIAM DAUM EULER, P.C.....	Waterloo	Kitchener, Ont. .
LÉON MERCIER GOUIN.....	De Salaberry	Montreal, Que.
THOMAS VIEN (Speaker).....	De Lorimier	Outremont, Que.
PAMPHILE REAL DUTREMBLAY.....	Repentigny	Montreal, Que.
WILLIAM RUPERT DAVIES.....	Kingston	Kingston, Ont.
JOSEPH J. BENCH.....	Lincoln	St. Catharines, Ont.
JAMES PETER MCINTYRE.....	Mount Stewart	Mount Stewart, P.E.I
GORDON PETER CAMPBELL.....	Toronto	Toronto, Ont.
WISHART McL. ROBERTSON.....	Shelburne	Halifax, N.S.
JOHN FREDERICK JOHNSTON.....	Central Saskatchewan..	Bladworth, Sask.
TELESPHORE DAMIEN BOUCHARD.....	The Laurentides	St. Hyacinthe, Que.
ARMAND DAIGLE.....	Mille Îles	Montreal, Que.
JOSEPH ARTHUR LESAGE.....	The Gulf	Quebec, Que.
CYRILLE VAILLANCOURT.....	Kennebec	Levis, Que.
JACOB NICOL.....	Bedford	Sherbrooke, Que.

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BALLANTYNE, C. C., P.C.....	Alma	Montreal, Que.
BARNARD, G. H.....	Victoria	Victoria, B.C.
BEAUBIEN, A. L.....	St. Jean Baptiste	St. Jean Baptiste, Man.
BEAUBIEN, C. P.....	Montarville	Montreal, Que.
BEAUREGARD, ELIE.....	Rougemont	Montreal, Que.
BENCH, JOSEPH J.....	Lincoln	St. Catharines, Ont.
BLACK, F. B.....	Westmorland	Sackville, N.B.
BLAIS, ARISTIDE.....	St. Albert	Edmonton, Alta.
BOUCHARD, TELESPHORE DAMIEN.....	The Laurentides.....	St. Hyacinthe, Que.
BOURQUE, T. J.....	Richibucto	Richibucto, N.B.
BUCHANAN, W. A.	Lethbridge	Lethbridge, Alta.
CALDER, J. A., P.C.....	Saltcoats	Regina, Sask.
CAMPBELL, G. P.....	Toronto	Toronto, Ont.
CANTLEY, THOMAS.....	New Glasgow	New Glasgow, N.S.
CHAPAIS, SIR THOMAS, K.B.....	Grandville	Quebec, Que.
COPP, A. B., P.C.....	Westmorland	Sackville, N.B.
DAIGLE, ARMAND.....	Mille Isles.....	Montreal, Que.
DAVID, ATHANASE.....	Sorel	Montreal, Que.
DAVIES, WILLIAM RUPERT.....	Kingston	Kingston, Ont.
DENNIS, W. H.....	Halifax	Halifax, N.S.
DONNELLY, J. J.....	South Bruce	Pinkerton, Ont.
DUFF, WILLIAM.....	Lunenburg	Lunenburg, N.S.
DUFFUS, J. J.....	Peterborough West	Peterborough, Ont.
DUTREMBLAY, PAMPHILE RÉAL.....	Repentigny	Montreal, Que.
EULER, W. D., P.C.....	Waterloo	Kitchener, Ont.
FAFARD, J. F.....	De la Durantaye	L'Islet, Que.

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THE HONOURABLE		
FALLIS, IVA CAMPBELL.....	Peterborough	Peterborough, Ont.
FARRIS, J. W. DE B.....	Vancouver South	Vancouver, B.C.
FOSTER, W. E., P.C.....	Saint John	Saint John, N.B.
GOUIN, L. M.....	De Salaberry	Montreal, Que.
GREEN, R. F.....	Kootenay	Victoria, B.C.
HAIG, JOHN T.....	Winnipeg	Winnipeg, Man.
HARDY, A. C., P.C.....	Leeds	Brockville, Ont.
HARMER, W. J.....	Edmonton	Edmonton, Alta.
HAYDEN, S. A.....	Toronto	Toronto, Ont.
HORNER, R. B.....	Saskatchewan North ..	Blaine Lake, Sask.
HOWARD, C. B.....	Wellington	Sherbrooke, Que.
HUGESSEN, A. K.	Inkerman	Montreal, Que.
HUSHION, W. J.....	Victoria	Westmount, Que.
JOHNSTON, J. FREDERICK.....	Central Saskatchewan ..	Bladworth, Sask.
JONES, GEORGE, B., P.C.....	Royal	Apoahqui, N.B.
KING, J. H., P.C.....	Kootenay East	Victoria, B.C.
LACASSE, G.....	Essex	Tecumseh, Ont.
LAMBERT, NORMAN P.....	Ottawa	Ottawa, Ont.
LÉGER, ANTOINE J.....	L'Acadie	Moncton, N.B.
LESAGE, J. A.....	The Gulf	Quebec, Que.
MACDONALD, J. A.....	Richmond—	St. Peters, Cape Breton,
MACDONALD, JOHN A., P.C.....	West Cape Breton....	N.S.
	Cardigan	Cardigan, P.E.I.
MACLENNAN, DONALD.....	Margaree Forks	Margaree Forks, N.S.
MARCOTTE, A.....	Ponteix	Ponteix, Sask.
MARSHALL, DUNCAN McL.....	Peel	Toronto, Ont.
MCDONALD, J. A....	Shediac	Shediac, N.B.
MCGUIRE, W. H.....	East York	Toronto, Ont.
MCINTYRE, JAMES P.....	Mount Stewart	Mount Stewart, P.E.I.
MCRAE, A. D., C.B.....	Vancouver	Vancouver, B.C.
MICHENER, E.....	Red Deer	Calgary, Alta.
MOLLOY, J. P.....	Provencher	Winnipeg, Man.
MORAUD, L.....	La Salle	Quebec, Que.
MULLINS, HENRY A.....	Marquette	Winnipeg, Man.
MURDOCK, JAMES, P.C.....	Parkdale	Ottawa, Ont.
NICOL, JACOB.....	Bedford	Sherbrooke, Que.
PAQUET, EUGÈNE, P.C.....	Lauzon	St. Romuald, Que.

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THE HONOURABLE		
PATERSON, N. McL.	Thunder Bay	Fort William, Ont.
QUINN, FELIX P.	Bedford-Halifax	Bedford, N.S.
RAYMOND, D.	De la Vallière	Montreal, Que.
RILEY, D. E.	High River	High River, Alta.
ROBERTSON, W. McL.	Shelburne	Halifax, N.S.
ROBICHAU, J. L. P.	Digby-Clare	Maxwellton, N.S.
SINCLAIR, J. E., P.C.	Queen's	Emerald, P.E.I.
SMITH, E. D.	Wentworth	Winona, Ont.
STEVENSON, J. J.	Prince Albert	Regina, Sask.
ST-PÈRE, E. C.	De Lanaudière	Montreal, Que.
SUTHERLAND, DONALD, P.C.	Oxford	Ingersoll, Ont.
TANNER, C. E.	Pictou	Pictou, N.S.
VAILLANCOURT, CYRILLE.	Kennebec	Levis, Que.
VIEU, THOMAS (Speaker)	De Lorimier	Outremont, Que.
WHITE, G. V., C.B.E.	Pembroke	Pembroke, Ont.
WILSON, CAIRINE R.	Rockcliffe	Ottawa, Ont.

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THE HONOURABLE	
1 ERNEST D. SMITH.....	Winona.
2 JAMES J. DONNELLY.....	Pinkerton.
3 GERALD VERNER WHITE, C.B.E.....	Pembroke.
4 ARTHUR C. HARDY, P.C.....	Brockville.
5 SIR ALLEN BRISTOL AYLESWORTH, P.C., K.C.M.G.....	Toronto.
6 WILLIAM H. MCGUIRE.....	Toronto.
7 GUSTAVE LACASSE.....	Tecumseh.
8 CAIRINE R. WILSON.....	Ottawa.
9 JAMES MURDOCK, P.C.....	Ottawa.
10 DONALD SUTHERLAND, P.C.....	Ingersoll.
11 IVA CAMPBELL FALLIS.....	Peterborough.
12 NORMAN P. LAMBERT.....	Ottawa.
13 DUNCAN McL. MARSHALL.....	Toronto.
14 SALTER ADRIAN HAYDEN.....	Toronto.
15 NORMAN McLEOD PATERSON	Fort William.
16 JOSEPH JAMES DUFFUS.....	Peterborough.
17 WILLIAM DAUM EULER, P.C.....	Kitchener.
18 WILLIAM RUPERT DAVIES.....	Kingston.
19 JOSEPH J. BENCH.....	St. Catharines.
20 GORDON PETER CAMPBELL.....	Toronto.
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QUEBEC—24

SENATORS	ELECTORAL DIVISION	POST OFFICE ADDRESS
THE HONOURABLE		
1 CHARLES PHILIPPE BEAUBIEN.....	Montarville	Montreal.
2 SIR THOMAS CHAPAIS, K.B.....	Grandville	Quebec.
3 DONAT RAYMOND	De la Vallière.....	Montreal.
4 CHARLES C. BALLANTYNE, P.C.....	Alma	Montreal.
5 LUCIEN MORAUD	La Salle	Quebec.
6 EUGÈNE PAQUET, P.C.	Lauzon	St. Romuald.
7 ADRIAN K. HUGESSEN	Inkerman	Montreal.
8 J. FERNAND FAFARD	De la Durantaye	L'Islet.
9 CHARLES BENJAMIN HOWARD.....	Wellington	Sherbrooke.
10 ELIE BEAUREGARD	Rougemont	Montreal.
11 ATHANASE DAVID	Sorel	Montreal.
12 EDOUARD CHARLES ST-PERE.....	De Lanaudière	Montreal.
13 WILLIAM JAMES HUSHION	Victoria	Westmount.
14 LÉON MERCIER GOUIN	De Salaberry	Montreal.
15 THOMAS VIEN (Speaker)	De Lorimier	Outremont.
16 PAMPHILE RÉAL DUTREMBLAY.....	Repentigny	Montreal.
17 TELESOPHORE DAMIEN BOUCHARD	The Laurentides.....	St. Hyacinthe.
18 ARMAND DAIGLE	Mille Îles	Montreal.
19 JOSEPH ARTHUR LESAGE	The Gulf	Quebec.
20 CYRILLE VAILLANCOURT	Kennebec	Levis.
21 JACOB NICOL	Bedford	Sherbrooke.
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NOVA SCOTIA—10

SENATORS	POST OFFICE ADDRESS
THE HONOURABLE	
1 CHARLES E. TANNER.....	Pictou.
2 WILLIAM H. DENNIS	Halifax.
3 JOHN A. MACDONALD	St. Peters, Cape Breton.
4 THOMAS CANTLEY	New Glasgow.
5 FELIX P. QUINN	Bedford.
6 JOHN L. P. ROBICHEAU	Maxwellton.
7 WILLIAM DUFF	Lunenburg.
8 DONALD MACLENNAN	Margaree Forks.
9 WISHART McL. ROBERTSON	Halifax.
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NEW BRUNSWICK—10

THE HONOURABLE	
1 THOMAS JEAN BOURQUE.....	Richibucto.
2 JOHN ANTHONY McDONALD.....	Shediac.
3 FRANK B. BLACK.....	Sackville.
4 ARTHUR BLISS COPP, P.C.	Sackville.
5 WALTER E. FOSTER, P.C.	Saint John.
6 GEORGE B. JONES, P.C.	Apohaqui.
7 ANTOINE J. LÉGER	Moncton.
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PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND—4

THE HONOURABLE	
1 JOHN EWEN SINCLAIR, P.C.....	Emerald.
2 JOHN A. MACDONALD, P.C.....	Cardigan.
3 JAMES PETER MCINTYRE.....	Mount Stewart.
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BRITISH COLUMBIA—6

SENATORS	POST OFFICE ADDRESS
THE HONOURABLE	
1 GEORGE HENRY BARNARD.....	Victoria.
2 ROBERT F. GREEN.....	Victoria.
3 JAMES H. KING, P.C.....	Victoria.
4 ALEXANDER D. McRAE, C.B.....	Vancouver.
5 JOHN W. DE B. FARRIS.....	Vancouver.
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MANITOBA—6

THE HONOURABLE	
1 JOHN PATRICK MOLLOY.....	Winnipeg.
2 HENRY A. MULLINS.....	Winnipeg.
3 JOHN T. HAIG.....	Winnipeg.
4 A. L. BEAUBIEN.....	St. Jean Baptiste.
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SASKATCHEWAN—6

THE HONOURABLE	
1 JAMES A. CALDER, P.C.....	Regina.
2 ARTHUR MARCOTTE	Ponteix.
3 RALPH B. HORNER.....	Blaine Lake.
4 WALTER M. ASELTINE.....	Rosetown.
5 J. J. STEVENSON.....	Regina.
6 J. FREDERICK JOHNSTON.....	Bladworth.

ALBERTA—6

THE HONOURABLE	
1 EDWARD MICHENER.....	Calgary.
2 WILLIAM JAMES HARMER.....	Edmonton.
3 WILLIAM ASHBURY BUCHANAN	Lethbridge.
4 DANIEL E. RILEY	High River.
5 ARISTIDE BLAIS	Edmonton.
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The Honourable the SPEAKER.

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BENCH
BLAIS
CANTLEY
CHAPAIS, SIR THOMAS
DAVID
FALLIS
GOUIN
GRIESBACH
JONES
LAMBERT
LOGAN
MACLENNAN
WILSON—17

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SENATE

The Hon. Senators BEAUBIEN (*St. Jean Baptiste*)

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DAVIES
DENNIS
DONNELLY
EULER
FALLIS
FOSTER
GREEN
HARMER
LA' ASSE
MACDONALD (*Cardigan*)
MCDONALD (*Shediac*)
MORAUD
MULLINS
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SINCLAIR
STEVENSON
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SENATE

The Honourable the SPEAKER

The Hon. Senators BEAUBIEN (*Montarville*)

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HARDY

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The Honourable Senators

BEAUBIEN (*St. Jean Baptiste*)

BUCHANAN

DUFF

DUTREMBLAY

HAYDEN

JONES

MACDONALD (*St. Peters*)

ST-PÈRE

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BANKING AND COMMERCE

The Honourable F. B. BLACK, Chairman.

The Honourable Senators

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BALLANTYNE

BARNARD

BEAUBIEN (*Montarville*)

BEAUREGARD

BLACK

BUCHANAN

COFF

DAVID

DONNELLY

DUTREMBLAY

EULER

FALLIS

FARRIS

FOSTER

GOUIN

GRIESBACH

HAIG

HARDY

HAYDEN

HOWARD

HUGESSEN

KING

LAMBERT

LÉGER

MACDONALD (*Cardigan*)

MARCOTTE

McGUIRE

McRAE

MICHENER

MOLLOY

MORAUD

MURDOCK

PATERSON

QUINN

RAYMOND

RILEY

ROBINSON

SINCLAIR

TANNER

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WILSON—42.

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RAILWAYS, TELEGRAPHS AND HARBOURS

The Honourable A. B. COPP, P.C., K.C., Chairman.

The Honourable Senators

BALLANTYNE
BARNARD
BEAUBIEN (*Montarville*)
BENCH
BLACK
BLAIS
BOURQUE
CALDER
CANTLEY
COPP
DENNIS
DUFF
DUFFUS
FAFARD
FARRIS
GOUIN
GREEN
GRIESBACH
HARDY
HARMER
HAYDEN
HORNER
HUGESSEN
HUSHION
JOHNSTON

JONES
KING
LACASSE
LAMBERT
MACDONALD (*St. Peters*)
MACLENNAN
MARCOTTE
MARSHALL
MCDONALD (*Shediac*)
MCGUIRE
MCRAE
MICHENER
MOLLOY
MORAUD
MURDOCK
PATERSON
RAYMOND
ROB'CHEAU
ROBINSON
SINCLAIR
SMITH (*Victoria-Carleton*)
STEVENSON
SUTHERLAND
TURGEON—50.

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MISCELLANEOUS PRIVATE BILLS

The Honourable CHAS. E. TANNER, K.C., Chairman.

The Honourable Senators

AYLESWORTH, SIR ALLEN
BARNARD
BEAUBIEN (*St. Jean Baptiste*)
BEAUREGARD
BLACK
CANTLEY
DAVID
DUFF
DUFFUS
EULER
FAFARD
GRIESBACH
HARMER

HAYDEN
HOWARD
HUSHION
LAMBERT
LÉGER
MARSHALL
MCRAE
MULLINS
QUINN
SAUVÉ
SMITH (*Victoria-Carleton*)
TANNER—25.

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INTERNAL ECONOMY AND CONTINGENT ACCOUNTS

The Honourable G. V. WHITE, C.B.E., Chairman.

The Honourable Senators

BALLANTYNE
 BEAUBIEN (*St. Jean Baptiste*)
 CAMPBELL
 CANTLEY
 CHAPAIS, SIR THOMAS
 COFF
 FAFARD
 FALLIS
 FOSTER
 GOVIN
 HAIG
 HAYDEN
 HOWARD

KING
 LAMBERT
 LOGAN
 MA LENNAN
 MARCOTTE
 McRAE
 MICHENER
 MORAUD
 MURDOCK
 QUINN
 VIEN (*Speaker*)
 WHITE—25.

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EXTERNAL RELATIONS

The Honourable A. D. McRAE, C.B., Chairman.

The Honourable Senators

AYLESWORTH, SIR ALLEN
 BEAUBIEN (*Montarville*)
 BEAUBIEN (*St. Jean Baptiste*)
 BENCH
 BLACK
 BUCHANAN
 CALDER
 CHAPAIS, SIR THOMAS
 COFF
 DAVID
 DONNELLY
 FAFARD
 FARRIS

GOVIN
 GRIESBACH
 HARDY
 HUGESSEN
 KING
 LAMBERT
 LÉGER
 McGUIRE
 McINTYRE
 McRAE
 TANNER
 WHITE—25.

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FINANCE

The Honourable ELM BEAUREGARD, K.C., Chairman.

The Honourable Senators

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 BALLANTYNE
 BEAUREGARD
 BLACK
 BUCHANAN
 COFF
 DAVIES
 DUFF
 DU'TREMBLAY
 FAFARD
 FARRIS
 FOSTER
 HAYDEN

HOWARD
 HUGESSEN
 HUSHION
 KING
 LACASSE
 McRAE
 MICHENER
 MORAUD
 PATERSON
 ROBERTSON
 ROFICHEAU
 WHITE—25.

(Quorum 7)

TOURIST TRAFFIC

The Honourable W. H. DENNIS, Chairman.

The Honourable Senators

BUCHANAN
DAVIES
DENNIS
DUFFUS
DUTREMBLAY
FOSTERGREEN
HORN
MARSHALL
MURDOCK
PAQUET
ST-PÈRE—12.

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DEBATES AND REPORTING

The Honourable ARTHUR SAUVÉ, P.C., Chairman.

The Honourable Senators

ASELTINE
BEAUREGARD
CHAPPAIS, SIR THOMAS
DUTREMBLAY
FALLISHOWARD
LACASSE
ST-PÈRE
SAUVÉ—9.

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DIVORCE

The Honourable C. W. ROBINSON, K.C., Chairman.

The Honourable Senators

ASELTINE
COFF
EULER
HAIG
HOWARDKING
ROBINSON
SINCLAIR
STEVENSON—9.

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AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY

The Honourable J. J. DONNELLY, Chairman.

The Honourable Senators

BLACK
DONNELLY
MARSHALL
RAYMOND
RILEYSINCLAIR
SMITH (*Wentworth*)
STEVENSON
SUTHERLAND—9.

(Quorum 3)

IMMIGRATION AND LABOUR

The Honourable JAMES MURDOCK, P.C., Chairman.

The Honourable Senators

BLAIS
BOURQUE
CALDER
DONNELLY
HUSIONMCDONALD (*Shediac*)
MOLLOY
MURDOCK
TURGEON—9.

(Quorum 3)

COMMERCE AND TRADE RELATIONS OF CANADA

The Honourable W. D. EULER, P.C., Chairman.

The Honourable Senators

EULER
GOUIN
HAIG
MACDONALD (*Cardigan*)
MACLENNAN

MORAU
PATERSON
RILEY
ROBICHEAU—9.

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PUBLIC HEALTH AND INSPECTION OF FOODS

The Honourable T. J. BOURQUE, M.D., Chairman.

The Honourable Senators

BLAIS
BOURQUE
KING
LACASSE
LÉGER

MACDONALD (*St. Peters*)
MOLLOY
PAQUET
WILSON—9.

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CIVIL SERVICE ADMINISTRATION

The Honourable ARTHUR MARCOTTE, K.C., Chairman.

The Honourable Senators

COPP
FAFARD
GOUIN
GRIESBACH
MARCOTTE

MCRABE
QUINN
ROBINSON
WILSON—9.

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PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS

The Honourable CAIRINE R. WILSON, Chairman.

The Honourable Senators

BLACK
FALLIS
HARMER
LAMBERT
MCGUIRE

SINCLAIR
SMITH (*Victoria-Carleton*)
SMITH (*Wentworth*)
WILSON—9.

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- MORAUD, Honourable L.—Printing, Railways, Commerce, Banking, Finance.
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